

Pre-Registration numbers

Dear Sir/Madam,

Please be informed that with regard to the communication of pre registration numbers, Brenntag has taken the FECC's (European Association of Chemical Distributors) recommendation not to issue pre registration numbers to downstream users as they offer no guarantee that the substances will go on to be fully registered. Furthermore, there is no possibility to check the authenticity of the pre-registration number.

We are in continuous contact with our suppliers to ensure that the products supplied remain compliant with REACH, both now and in the future, and we will inform you as soon as we are aware of anything that may affect supply of your products.

Brenntag is fully committed to meeting our legal obligations under REACH and it is our focus to ensure that all of the substances we are selling will be pre-registered either by ourselves or by our suppliers by December 1st 2008.

Once substances are fully registered we will communicate the registration number in our Safety Data Sheets as requested by the REACH Regulation.

If you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact us.