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Subject: EU Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern 28 October 2008
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The following is Allegheny Ludlum's statement regarding the European Union Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern:

Allegheny Ludlum' products do not contain any significant amounts of the chemical compounds on the Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHCs) and the maximum concentration values for such substances in homogenous materials are far below the 0.1% regulatory limit.

Allegheny Ludlum products are compliant with the European Union SVHC regulations.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tracy McFarland". The signature is written in a cursive style.

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Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern

Substance name	EC number (CAS number)	Basis for Identification as a SVHC
Anthracene	204-371-1	Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic
4,4'- Diamino-diphenylmethane	202-974-4	Carcinogen, cat. 2
Dibutyl phthalate	201-557-4	Toxic for reproduction, cat. 2
Cobalt dichloride	231-589-4	Carcinogen, cat. 2
Diarsenic pentaoxide	215-116-9	Carcinogen, cat.1
Diarsenic trioxide	215-481-4	Carcinogen, cat.1
Sodium dichromate	234-190-3 (7789-12-0, 10588-01-9)	Carcinogen, cat. 2; Mutagen, cat. 2 Toxic for reproduction, cat. 2
5-tert-butyl-2,4,6-trinitro-m-xylene (musk xylene)	201-329-4	Very persistent and very bioaccumulative
Bis (2-ethyl(hexyl)-phthalate) (DEHP)	204-211-0	Toxic for reproduction, cat.2
Hexabromocyclododecane (HBCDD) and all major diastereoisomers identified (α – HBCDD, β -HBCDD, γ -HBCDD)	247-148-4 and 221-695-9 (134237-50-6, 134237-51-7, 134237-52-8)	Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic
Alkanes, C10-13, chloro (Short Chain Chlorinated Paraffins)	287-476-5	Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic Very persistent and very bioaccumulative
Bis(tributyltin)oxide	200-268-0	Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic
Lead hydrogen arsenate	232-064-2	Carcinogen, cat. 1 Toxic for reproduction cat. 1
Benzyl butyl phthalate	201-622-7	Toxic for reproduction, cat. 2
Triethyl arsenate	427-700-2	Carcinogen, cat. 1