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## (EU) 1907/2006 REACH Declaration

Our company: MerxTeam A.B.

## wishes to inform that:

Art.nr	Article Description
65465	Menypärm Svart (Menu folder, black)
65483	Menypärm A4 Svart (Menu folder A4, black)

The above products manufactured up until the 26th of June 2019 contain the phthalates Bis(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP, CAS nr. 117-81-7) used as a plasticiser in their transparent sheets/folders made of PVC up to a 20% weight by weight concentration.

DEHP is listed on the Candidate List drafted by the European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) as a Substance of Very High Concern for the following properties:

- Toxic for reproduction (Article 57c)
- Endocrine disrupting properties (Article 57(f) environment)
- Endocrine disrupting properties (Article 57(f) human health)

DEHP was used in this product by the manufacturer as a plasticiser improving flexibility in the transparent sheets. The substance was not intended for release during normal use of the product, but in accordance with Art. 33 of REACH we recommend that the following instructions for safest use are followed:

- Do not place the product in your mouth.
- Handle with clean hands, and for the safest of precautions wash them after use.
- Do not expose the product to water or chemicals if it can be avoided. Clean with a dry or slightly moist cloth and replace the transparent folders with new ones if their surface looks damaged.

## DISPOSAL/RECYCLING INFORMATION

The above articles are expected to be safely usable over a long lifetime, and when users deem that they want to dispose of them, they should be sorted as burnable waste with reference to their DEHP content as scientific evidence suggests that phthalates would remain after recycling of these items. The potential users of the recycled material would then risk using it in applications where DEHP content ensues a risk for human health and the environment.

By sorting these items as burnable waste, these items will instead be identified as vinyl and be used instead for energy generation.

Yours singerely

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