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Attn.: Roy Eide

TOXICOLOGICAL EVALUATION OF CONTROLLBETONGTETT FROM MAYNOR AS FOR USE AS A SEALING AGENT OF CONCRETE IN CONTACT WITH POTABLE WATER

We refer to your phone call on August 1, 2003, concerning translation of the toxicological evaluation of Controll®Betongtett into English.

Translation into English:

We refer to your letter received June 26, 2003, concerning toxicological evaluation of Controll®Betongtett for use as a sealing agent of concrete in contact with potable water onshore.

General information about toxicological evaluation/approval of products in contact with potable water

The Norwegian Institute of Public Health, Division of Environmental Medicine, has the authority to approve products (coatings, additives, etc.) in contact with potable water on installations/ships offshore (The Ministry of Labour and Government Administration; Regulations of 31st of August 2001, and The Ministry of Trade and Industry; Regulations of 4th of September 1987).

According to The Ministry of Health; Regulations of 1st of January 2002, concerning potable water supply and potable water onshore, approvals of additives for use in contact with potable water are required. Such additives are regulated by the Food Act, which is administered by the Norwegian Food Control Authority or by the local Norwegian health and food control authorities. The Norwegian Institute of Public Health, Division of Environmental Medicine, performs toxicological evaluations of such additives, as well as of materials, which may come in contact with potable water onshore, for the Norwegian Food Control Authority. The Norwegian Institute of Public Health does not approve additives or materials for use in contact with potable water onshore.

The manufacturer and/or the importer of such products are responsible for producing the products according to good manufacturing practice and for the quality of the products. The content of impurities and the migration of components directly or indirectly from such products to potable water should be as low as technically possible. Furthermore, the migrating substances should not pose any risk to human health.



Toxicological evaluation of Controll®Betongtett for use as a sealing agent of concrete in contact with potable water

The Norwegian Institute of Public Health has evaluated Controll®Betongtett based on information provided by Maynor as, and finds it acceptable for use in contact with potable water.

The premises for such use of **Controll®Betongtett** are that

- the product comply with specifications for good manufacturing practice
- the producer's recommendations for its use are followed
- that the surfaces treated with the product are cleaned thoroughly with clean water before being used in contact with potable water
- the product do not affect the water quality


This evaluation is based on the product information given in your application and based on current knowledge. This may change. We must be informed concerning changes in the formulation. A new evaluation may then be necessary, and it may result in a revocation of the evaluation. If essential changes are made in the formulation, this evaluation will be annulled automatically and a new application will be necessary. Also, if the basis for our evaluation of health is changed, the evaluation will be revoked.

Our opinion concerning the safety of the product does not constitute an endorsement, nor does it relate to its effectiveness for the intended use. This approval is restricted to the effects on human health. It is otherwise no guarantee for quality of the product and it should not be used in advertisements in a way that gives such an impression (Norwegian Marketing Regulation, Law no. 47 of June 16th, 1972, §2).

Charge of payment will be claimed according to The Ministry of Health for products used onshore.

Yours sincerely

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