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2621 West 15th Place  
Chicago, Illinois 60608

Ryerson Customer:

We have received requests for information on products that we supply to your company that may contain any of the substances considered as “substances of very high concern” according to the European Union legislation known as REACH.

We do not manufacture any material or use any of the substances listed in the REACH program as a “substance of very high concern.”

We have reviewed with our suppliers, and they ensure us that they also do not use any of the listed substances in their processes.

Thus the material we supply to you is out of scope of REACH and therefore we do not have any obligation under REACH to complete the paperwork surrounding registration for REACH.

Sincerely,

Ryerson Safety Committee