

Atkins & Pearce, Inc.

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Regulatory Compliance Statement

Atkins & Pearce, Inc. (A&P) has been a leading manufacturer of braided technical textiles for 200+ years. We credit our success to our close collaboration with our customers and vendors. Various regulations require our industry to take responsibility for managing health and environmental risks from certain substances. As a converter of raw materials, we rely on strong relationships with our vendors and are committed to working with together to provide our customers with the necessary information to ensure safety and regulatory compliance.

Please review below for our policies and disclosures for EU REACH, EU RoHS, the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform Act (Conflict Minerals Rule), the U.S. Toxic Substances Control Act, and California Proposition 65.

A&P is committed to maintaining accurate and complete product information. We continue to review the various safety and environmental regulations with our vendors so that we can provide the most accurate and complete information to our customers. Please direct all inquiries related to these disclosures to your Customer Service Representative and/or Account Manager.

<u>European Union Regulation No. 1907/2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH)</u>

As a converter of raw materials, A&P collaborates closely with its vendors to evaluate European REACH compliance. We do not conduct any chemical testing on our raw materials or finished products to determine REACH compliance. We rely on information provided by our vendors and trade knowledge of the materials that go into our products. The products set forth below contain one or more substances listed on the Candidate List of 235 Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) as of June 14, 2023, in the relevant concentration of >0.1 percentage weight-by-weight (w/w). The Candidate List of 235 SVHC is available at the following location: https://echa.europa.eu/candidate-list-table.

Product Line	Color	SVHC	CAS #
ASTRA® 703/105	Clear	Trixylyl Phosphate	25155-23-1
BEN-HAR® 1151	Red	Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (D4)	556-67-2
240 A RIO		Decamethylcyclopentasiloxane (D5)	541-02-6
		Dodecamethylcyclohexasiloxane (D6)	540-97-6
BEN-HAR® 1258	All	Decamethylcyclopentasiloxane (D5)	541-02-6
		Dodecamethylcyclohexasiloxane (D6)	540-97-6
BEN-HAR® Acryl C2 FR	Black	DechloranePlus(Dechlorane+; 1,6,7,8,9,14,15,16,17,17,18,18-dodecachloropentacyclo[12.2.1.16,9.02,13.05,10]octadeca-7,15-diene)	13560-89-9
BEN-HAR® Acryl 1620	Black	DechloranePlus(Dechlorane+; 1,6,7,8,9,14,15,16,17,17,18,18-dodecachloropentacyclo[12.2.1.16,9.02,13.05,10]octadeca-7,15-diene)	13560-89-9
BEN-HAR® 1151 FRB	Blue	Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (D4)	556-67-2
BEN-HAR® 1151 XL FR1 A	Brown	Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (D4)	556-67-2

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BEN-HAR® 1151 XL 200 A	All	Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (D4)	556-67-2
BEN-HAR® 1062 A	All	Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (D4)	556-67-2
ENCLOSE - NX	Natural	N,N-dimethylacetamide	127-19-5

<u>European Union Directive 2011/65/EU, as amended in Directive 2017/2102 and 2015/863, Restriction of Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment (EU RoHS)</u>

Based on the information provided by its vendors as of March 1st, 2022, A&P products do not include substances restricted under Directive 2011/65/EU, as amended in Directive 2017/2102 and 2015/863, above the applicable threshold levels. For more information on this directive, please visit the following site: http://ec.europa.eu/environment/waste/rohs_eee/index_en.htm.

Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform Act: Conflict Minerals Rule

A&P is committed to using ethically and responsibly sourced minerals in our products. We work with our suppliers to monitor materials used in our processes for the presence of Conflict Minerals as set forth in the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform Act in products. For a copy of A&P's Conflict Minerals Declaration, please click here.

U.S. Toxic Substances Control Act

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency restricts the use of several substances under the Toxic Substances Control Act. Based on the disclosures from our suppliers, A&P products are compliant with TSCA, with none of these restricted substances appearing in our products.

California Proposition 65

In accordance with the State of California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 ("Prop 65"), customers of A&P must warn California residents for products that can cause exposure to substances listed under this regulation. If you want a declaration, please reach out to your customer service representative for assistance.

If the products listed in our Proposition 65 tab may be sold in California, you are obligated to label these products with the statutory labels like the one above. The warning and labeling requirements can be found at the following site: https://oehha.ca.gov/proposition-65/proposition-65-list. Please use warnings like the above whenever you execute a sale in California (including online, catalog, phone service desk sales, etc.).

Disclaimer

Information provided by A&P on its website or in other communications concerning the content of its products represents its knowledge as of the date set forth above. A&P shall have no obligation to supplement such information to reflect any changes in the substances of products or changes in any laws or directives arising after the date set forth above. A&P bases its knowledge and belief on information provided by third parties, makes no representation or warranty as to the accuracy of such information, and does not conduct testing or analysis on incoming materials or final products. In no event shall A&P's liability arising from such exceed the total purchase price of the product(s) at issue sold by A&P to its customers on an annual basis. Please see Atkins & Pearce Terms and Conditions for additional information.

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