



## **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 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 (TSCA), Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS), European Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs), 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.

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

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. None of A&P products contain REACH substances with the exception of the product lines set forth below which contain one or more substances listed on the Candidate List of 240 Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) as of January 23, 2024, in the relevant concentration of >0.1 percentage weight-by-weight (w/w). The Candidate List of 240 SVHC is available at the following location: [Candidate List of substances of very high concern for Authorisation - ECHA \(europa.eu\)](http://Candidate List of substances of very high concern for Authorisation - ECHA (europa.eu)).

<b>Product Line</b>	<b>Color</b>	<b>SVHC</b>	<b>CAS #</b>
<i>Astra 703/105</i>	<i>Clear</i>	<i>Trixylyl Phosphate</i>	<i>25155-23-1</i>
<i>BEN-HAR® 1151 240 A RIO</i>	<i>Red</i>	<i>Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (D4)</i>	<i>556-67-2</i>
		<i>Decamethylcyclopentasiloxane (D5)</i>	<i>541-02-6</i>
		<i>Dodecamethylcyclohexasiloxane (D6)</i>	<i>540-97-6</i>
<i>BEN-HAR® 1258</i>	<i>All</i>	<i>Decamethylcyclopentasiloxane (D5)</i>	<i>541-02-6</i>
		<i>Dodecamethylcyclohexasiloxane (D6)</i>	<i>540-97-6</i>
<i>BEN-HAR® Acryl C2 FR</i>	<i>Black</i>	<i>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)</i>	<i>13560-89-9</i>
<i>BEN-HAR® Acryl 1620</i>	<i>Black</i>	<i>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)</i>	<i>13560-89-9</i>



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BEN-HAR® 1151 FRB	Blue	Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (D4)	556-67-2
BEN-HAR® 1151 XL FR1 A	Brown	Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (D4)	556-67-2
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

**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)**

A&P products do not contain 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: [RoHS Directive - European Commission \(europa.eu\)](http://RoHS Directive - European Commission (europa.eu)).

**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**

Section 8 (b) of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) requires the EPA to keep a list of each chemical substance that is manufactured or processed in the United States for uses under TSCA. All of our products either contain substances listed on the active portion of the TSCA inventory or they are considered articles and are exempt from being listed in the TSCA inventory.

Based on information provided by our suppliers, our products do not contain the following substances under 6(h) of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA):

- Decabromodiphenyl ether [1163-19-5]
- 2,4,6-Tris(1,1-dimethylethyl)phenol [732-26-3]
- Hexachloro-1,3-butadiene [87-68-3]
- Pentachlorothiophenol [133-49-3]
- Phenol, isopropylated, phosphate (3:1) [68937-41-7]

For more information please visit: [TSCA Chemical Substance Inventory | US EPA](#).

**Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS)**

The regulation of Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) is continuously evolving, but based on information provided by our suppliers, A&P's products do not contain any PFAS with the exception of the following product lines:

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Product Line	Color
BEN-HAR® 1151 FRB	Blue
Monoflex® PFA	All

For more information on PFAS please visit the EPA’s website: [Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances \(PFAS\) | US EPA](#).

### **European Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs)**

Based on information from our suppliers, A&P products do not contain any Persistent Organic Pollutants as listed in EU Regulation 2019/1021 and A&P products do not contain any substances listed under the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants.

For more information visit: [Understanding POPs - ECHA \(europa.eu\)](#).

### **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. Please refer to your packing list to see if any of the products you’ve ordered contain any chemicals covered under Prop 65 and if those products require a Prop 65 warning.

If any of the products purchased from A&P containing Prop 65 chemicals are to be sold in California, you are obligated to label these products with statutory labels. The warning and labeling requirements can be found at the following site: [The Proposition 65 List - OEHHA \(ca.gov\)](#).

### **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.*