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| **Annex 13 to the Contract pursuant to RAL-UZ 154**  **Blue Angel Eco-Label for**  **„Textiles“** |  | **Please use only this form!** |

Manufacturer’s Declaration made by the company:

Declaration as a supplier of chemicals

Declaration as a textile finisher

for the following products:

If there is a GOTS certificate with the following number     , only the following criteria must be met:

3.6.2.1.1 Quaternary ammonium compounds

3.6.2.4.6 Volatile organic compounds (VOCs)

If an OEKO-TEX certificate with the following number      is available, only the following criteria must be met:

3.6.2.1.1 Quaternary ammonium compounds

3.6.2.1.2 Use of nanomaterials

3.6.2.2.1 Chlorinated bleaching agents

3.6.2.4.1 Biocidal and biostatic products

3.6.2.4.2 Flame retardant materials

3.6.2.4.3 Halogenated substances

3.6.2.4.4 Cerium compounds

3.6.2.4.6 Volatile organic compounds (VOCs)

#### During all Process Steps

##### 3.6.2.1.1 Quaternary ammonium compounds

Quaternary ammonium compounds are not permitted, except for fastness enhancers. Siliconquats and esterquats may be used. Siliconquats, esterquats and fastness enhancers must comply with the requirements under 3.6.1.

We hereby declare compliance with the requirements.

Date: Signature:

##### 3.6.2.1.2 Use of nanomaterials

The use of technically produced nanomaterials with the H Phrases listed in Paragraph 3.6.1 is not permitted. The classification must be carried out based on suitable data for the nanoform of the substance added to the product.

We hereby declare compliance with the requirements.

Date: Signature:

***In the pretreatment process***

3.6.2.2.1 Chlorinated bleaching agents

The use of chlorinated bleaching agents is not permitted.

We hereby declare compliance with the requirements.

Date: Signature:

In the dyeing process

3.6.2.3.1 Mordant dyes containing chromium salts

It is not permitted to use mordant dyes containing chromium salts.

We hereby declare compliance with the requirements.

Date: Signature:

3.6.2.3.2 Metal complex dyes with copper, chromium or nickel

In the case of all dyeing processes in which metal complex dyes are part of the dye formula, the absorption rate must be at least 93% for each of the metal complex dyes used (for the process).

In the case of dyes used for cellulose in which metal complex dyes are part of the dye formula, the absorption rate must be at least 80% for each of the metal complex dyes used (for the process).

We hereby declare compliance with the requirements. Attached hereto are documents on the degree of absorption of the metal complex dyes used.

Date: Signature:

#### In the finishing process

3.6.2.4.1 Biocidal and biostatic products

The use of biocidal products, as defined in the Biocidal Directive (EU) 528/201221, and biostatic products22 is not permitted. In-can preservatives are exempted.

We hereby declare compliance with the requirements.

Date: Signature:

3.6.2.4.2 Flame retardant materials

The flame-retarding effect should preferably be achieved by use of flame-resistant fibres or by means of the structure of the fabric.

Please tick the appropriate box.

The use of flame retardants in the finishing of clothing textiles is not permitted and is not applied.

Finishing with flame retardants, which comply with the requirements according to 3.6.1, on house and home textiles, protective work clothing and other technical textiles can be approved after examination by the Federal Environmental Agency. The examination by the Federal Environmental Agency should be carried out  
Halogenated flame retardants may not be added to the product.

Products finished with flame retardant substances must be correspondingly labelled.  
We hereby declare compliance with the requirements.

Date: Signature:

3.6.2.4.3 Halogenated substances

It is not permitted to use halogenated substances as such or in mixtures as anti-felt agents for finishing products.

We hereby declare compliance with the requirements.

Date: Signature:

3.6.2.4.4 Cerium compounds

It is not permitted to use any cerium compounds for the weighting of yarn or fabrics.

We hereby declare compliance with the requirements.

Date: Signature:

3.6.2.4.5 Perfluorinated and polyfluorinated chemicals (PFCs)

The use of perfluorinated and polyfluorinated chemicals (PFCs) is not permitted.

We hereby declare compliance with the requirements.

Date: Signature:

***During impregnating, printing or coating***

3.6.2.5 Volatile organic compounds (VOC)

The ready-to-use formulas for the impregnation liquors, printing pastes or coating compounds must not contain more than 5% volatile organic compounds (VOCs).

Please tick the appropriate box.

The applicant shall declare compliance with the requirements according to Paragraph 3.6.2 in Annex 1 and submit confirmation from the chemical supplier or textile finisher verifying compliance with these requirements.

No auxiliaries to impregnate, print or coat the products are used.

Auxiliaries to impregnate, print or coat the products are used. A test report/suitable documentation23 from his/her textile finisher verifying compliance with this requirement are submitted.

If flame retardant materials have been added, the applicant shall name and identify them using their CAS Registry No. to RAL gGmbH.

Nanomaterials have been added.  
The applicant shall specify what nanomaterials have been added and what form of the substance was used for the tests and the classification.  
We hereby declare compliance with the requirements.

Date: Signature: