

Customer information/Zurich

OEKO-TEX® Test Criteria 2019 – New regulations ECO PASSPORT

Detailed list of the changes that will come into effect on the 1st of May:

- 1) New threshold values to new substances in ANNEX 4
 - i. Quinoline: Threshold <250 mg/kg in the Subchapter „Other Chemical Residues“
 - ii. TCEP: Threshold <100 mg/kg in the Subchapter „Other Chemical Residues“
 - iii. Azodicarboxamide (ADCA): Threshold <1000 mg/kg in the Subchapter „Other Chemical Residues“²
 - iv. New Subchapter in ANNEXg 4: Siloxanes (D4, D5, D6) à each with Threshold <0.1 w-%
 - v. MCCP: Sum threshold value for SCCP and MCCP of <50 mg/kg added in Subchapter “Chlorinated paraffins”
 - vi. DMP: Threshold <250 mg/kg in the Subchapter “Phtalates”

- 2) Substances with new thresholds in ANNEX 4
 - i. Aniline: Threshold from 500 mg/kg to <100 mg/kg
 - ii. NMP, DMAc und DMF: Threshold from 0.1 w-% to <0.05 mg/kg w-%
 - iii. Flame Retardants: Tetra-, penta-, hexa-, heptabromodiphenyl have a threshold of <10 mg/kg each
 - iv. Flame Retardants: Other flame retardants prohibited in ANNEX 6 have a threshold of 50 mg/kg each
 - v. Certain PFCs, per- and polyfluorinated compounds: Threshold from 0.5 mg/kg to <0.25 mg/kg (For full list see ANNEX 4)
 - vi. OPP, CMK, TCMTB specifically for leather chemicals have a new threshold of <2'500 mg/kg

- 3) New Chemicals in ANNEX 6
 - i. Arylamines:
 - a. 4-Chloro-o-toluidinium chloride, CAS No. 3165-93-3
 - b. 2-Naphthylammoniumacetate, CAS No. 553-00-4
 - c. 2,4-Diaminoanisole sulphate, CAS No. 39156-41-7
 - d. 2,4,5-Trimethylaniline hydrochloride, CAS No. 21436-97-5

ii. Flame retardants:

a. Disodium octaborate, CAS No. 12008-41-2

- 4) All threshold values now have the “smaller than”-sign in front of them “<”
- 5) Product groups and categories for leather chemicals have been added to ANNEX 5