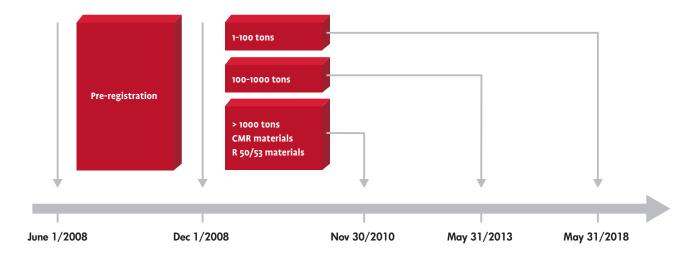
## Statement regarding REACH - Update MAY 2013

The Reach legislation became effective in all countries of the European Union from June 1, 2007.

All common chemical substances (ie not biocides) used at a weight over 1 ton per year, manufactured in or imported to EU, is governed by REACH. The legislation is valid for chemical substances used as such as well as for preparations of substances and also for the basic substances used to manufacture polymer resins.

During 2008, all these substances have to be pre-registered. When registration is ready, the evaluation part will start. The time frame depends of the total volume used in Europe and if there are any known safety concerns with the substance. The total evaluation period has been set to 2009 -2018, see schedule below.



Arla Plast AB are taking necessary steps and has checked the status regarding chemicals of very high concern (SVHC) in our raw materials, according to the ECHA Candidate list up to December 19, 2012.

We can hereby confirm that in none of the raw materials used in our sheet products, any of the chemicals on the SVHC list are added intentionally by our suppliers. We also confirm that these chemicals are not added by Arla Plast AB during processing.

If you have further questions regarding this issue, please contact Raphael Baptist (raphael.baptist@arlaplast.se)

Please note that analysis of the raw materials and/or the finished goods for presence of the substances in the SVHC list on a routine basis, is neither a part of our quality control plan, nor is a part of Arla Plast AB's product specifications, and hence it should not be construed as any warranty, expressed or implied.

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