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To the REACH Responsible

**REACH – Household Care Info #2:  
End of production of Perborates in Antwerp**

We would like to inform you that Evonik Degussa has ceased production of Perborates at its site in Antwerp, Belgium, effective December 31, 2007

As a consequence of this step no registration obligations under REACH are left for Evonik Degussa. Perborates will therefor neither be pre-registered nor be registered by Evonik Degussa.

The remaining Perborate activities are with Aktivsauerstoff GmbH (ASG), an Austrian based venture between Evonik Degussa and Treibacher Industrie AG. ASG will take care on all duties under RERACH and will pre-register Perborates. For further info please contact:

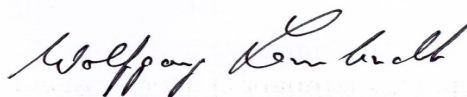
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