



Dear Sir/Madam

At present we are receiving an increasing number of enquiries concerning radioactivity and radiation protection as well as possible delivery bottlenecks due to the natural and nuclear disaster in Japan.

A company internal analysis was focused on possible bottlenecks and possible radiation exposure of our products due to the reactor catastrophe in Japan. C.D. Wälzholz has never bought raw material in Japan, neither directly nor indirectly.

We procure our material from business partners with whom we co-operate closely and successfully for a long time. So far the catastrophe and nuclear disaster did not have any negative impact on our supplies. Up to now we did not receive any references or information from our partners about possible radiation exposure of our products.

As soon as we receive such references or information, we will inform you.

Hagen (Germany), 13 April 2011

C.D. Wälzholz - Quality Assurance

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