

## REACH – Declaration of Compliance

### Biograde<sup>®</sup>, Bioflex<sup>®</sup>, Fibrolon<sup>®</sup>

#### Manufacturer:

**FKuR Kunststoff GmbH**  
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EC regulation **No 1907/2006** REACH (the **R**egistration, **E**valuation and **A**uthorisation of **C**hemicals) was adopted on 18 December 2006 and entered into force on 1st June 2007.

REACH transfers thereby the responsibility for demonstrating the safety of a product throughout its entire life cycle on the manufacturers and importers of chemical products. Concerning the various aspects FKuR Kunststoff GmbH is preparing intensively the implementation of REACH.

FKuR Kunststoff GmbH is considered as downstream user, in this role the raw material suppliers have been contacted to ensure the registration (pre-registration) of the substances of the products used by FKuR Kunststoff GmbH in the manufacturing of the bioplastics **Biograde**, **Bioflex** and **Fibrolon**. All of the suppliers have ensured that any substance in the scope of REACH used has been pre-registered or are already registered.

Furthermore in the manufacture of the bioplastics **Biograde**, **Bioflex** and **Fibrolon** none of the potential Substances of Very High Concern as published on the candidate list of Substances of Very High Concern issued by ECHA are used. The list is regularly updated by the European Chemical Agency (ECHA) [http://echa.europa.eu/chem\\_data/authorisation\\_process/candidate\\_list\\_en.asp](http://echa.europa.eu/chem_data/authorisation_process/candidate_list_en.asp) (last update 19.12.2011).

The declaration is based on information made available by FKuR Kunststoff GmbH and their suppliers to fcc-foodcontactconsulting gmbh by date.

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