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Angus Fire demonstrates its commitment to sustainable Fire Fighting Foam solutions

Due to the ever-changing legislation and regulations surrounding the use of fluorinated chemicals and since the European Chemical Agency's proposal to ban the use of these chemicals, it has created a huge amount of uncertainty in the market and demand for fluorinated foam products continues to decline.

As such, we have decided to discontinue the manufacture and sale of fluorinated foam products by the end of Q1 2024.

We have over many years evaluated alternative and more sustainable raw materials that could be used to develop and manufacture firefighting foams with a firefighting performance equal to, if not greater than those containing fluorine and ultimately over time, to replace the current fluorinated firefighting foams that have been in use for decades.

We can advise that we are now able to provide our Customers with that range of fluorine free foam products along with equipment and devices to suit their various applications.

We will also have a number of new fluorine free firefighting foams that will be released into the market in early 2024 and with significant financial investment in foam R&D we will continue to enlarge our fluorine free foam product portfolio.

This communication may not be aligned with your plans to transition to fluorine free foams, so to assist we have secured a quantity of raw materials and via this announcement providing you with notification that we will continue to manufacture your fluorinated foam products until 31<sup>st</sup> March 2024, or until we have exhausted our finite raw material supply. We are actively encouraging all Customers who are not ready to make the transition to fluorine free foam, to place orders for fluorinated foam products as soon as possible, before raw materials are exhausted.

Our Sales teams are available to discuss your requirements and to support you in your transition to fluorine free foam products as efficiently and effectively as possible.

Best Regards

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