

Sika Korrosionsschutz GmbH

Vaihingen/Enz, 1st of January 2007

Sika acquires Protective Coatings business from DuPont

Dear Sirs

On the 1st of January Sika Group has acquired the Protective Coatings business from DuPont expanding with the plant at Vaihingen/Enz, Germany its manufacturing capacity.

Within the acquisition, 140 employees from Vaihingen/Enz were transferred to Sika. As a consequence, Vaihingen becomes the leading office of all Sika Protective Coatings activities.

The upcoming month are designated for the integration of the new unit within Sika. One of the major goals is the re-issuing of all Certificates, Approvals and Brands on the Sika name.

In this view all brands such as Permacor[®], Epiter[®], of the new business units will be associated with the prefix of the Sika[®] brand e.g. Permacor[®] will be termed as Sika[®] Permacor[®], Unitherm[®] will be termed as Sika[®] Unitherm[®], etc., including the previous known numbers or names.

In detail following brands are adopted by Sika Korrosionsschutz GmbH

Asplit[®]
Betonol[®]
Brennicks[®]
Epiter[®]
Plastocoat[®]
Policrete[®]
Permacor[®]
Unitherm[®]



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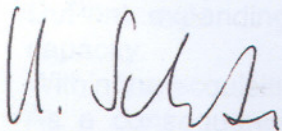
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We kindly request your cooperation in finding an appropriate way to re-write the assessments. Following to this your contact persons will approach you.

Looking forward to continuing our good cooperation established during the years.

Kind regards,

Sika Korrosionsschutz GmbH



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