

Dear customer,

On 4 August 2020, a new restriction on diisocyanates was adopted by European authorities under REACH, establishing training requirements prior to the use of PU products containing more than 0.1% of monomeric diisocyanates. Anybody working with products containing 0.1% diisocyanate will need to be trained. Training and certification are required prior to use of these products to avoid respiratory and skin sensitization.

Spray Polyurethane (PU) foam products are solutions that are made by reacting diisocyanates and polyols. These ingredients are found in many products, including packaging, automobiles, furniture, construction materials, and more.

REACH is a regulation of the European Union (EU) and is intended to improve protection of human health and the environment from risks that can be posed by chemicals while enhancing the competitiveness of the EU chemical industry.

Industry bodies have worked together to develop comprehensive training modules for professional users. DuPont™, the manufacturer of Insta-Stik™ PU Adhesives, has carefully aligned with REACH requirements. They offer a broad portfolio of spray PU foam products which meet current REACH requirements and continue to develop new solutions.

Training material have been made available to all users of DuPont™ spray PU foam products to enable training and certification to be completed by the 24 August 2023 deadline.

It is the customer's responsibility to inform their customers/end users that the training and certification is required

To help you meet REACH requirements for safe handling of diisocyanates, please go to the link below to access the web-based training course right for your application.

### **[Access free training](#)**

For usage of PU products in the Construction Sector, we recommend to complete the following training and certification:

#### **T-048: Adhesives, Sealants and Foams directly applied out of small packaging at ambient temperature**

For free access to the training use coupon code **FEICA\_21\_C10**, in the tickets section of the website.

The course is informative and a certificate will be produced on completion of the course. Records of the certification must be maintained to confirm training in case of an inspection that you/your staff has been trained. The training should be renewed at least every five years.

Should you require any further help or assistance please do not hesitate to contact me



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