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Dear Mr Brinkmann

Re: Rudolf Hillebrand - Compliance to the requirements of EN 12206-1

May I take this opportunity to clarify the situation with regards to conformance with EN 12206-1 when 'alternative' pretreatments are being employed.

For any company to be able to comply with the requirements of EN 12206-1 when employing an 'alternative' pretreatment chemical as part of their pretreatment process, they must provide evidence of compliance to the requirements of Annex B of this specification.

In this respect, I am in receipt of a written statement from the Managing Director of Nabu which certifies that his Nabutan 310 'alternative' pretreatment is fully compliant with the requirements of Annex B of EN 12206-1.

I am also in receipt of a statement from your own company which indicates that you currently employ Nabutan 310 as part of your pretreatment process for architectural aluminium components.

Therefore, Rudolf Hillebrand GmbH & Co. KG is now capable of processing aluminium components which can be correctly assessed as being fully compliant with the requirements of EN 12206-1.

Should you require any further information, assistance or advice, please do not hesitate to make contact.

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