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NINGBO MATTHEW SYNTHETIC LEATHER CO.,LTD 613 JINDU INTERNATIONAL, NO. 345, SOUTHERN SECTION, HUANCHENG RD, WEST, NINGBO, P.R.CHINA								
The following sample(s) was/were submitted and identified on behalf of the client as:								
Sample Description Style No. Manufacturer Country of Destination	: PU: polyurethane/polyester/cotton in deep blue for furniture & upholstery : PU leather of Hudson : NINGBO MATTHEW SYNTHETIC LEATHER CO.,LTD : USA, Europe							
Test Performed	Selected test(s) as requested by applicant							
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Sample Receiving Date	NOV. 09, 2012							
Testing Period	NOV. 09, 2012 –NOV. 15, 2012							
Test Result(s)	For further details, please refer to	the following page(s).						

Signed for and on behalf of SGS-CSTC Ltd.

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Test Result

Remark :

- (1) The chemical analysis of specified SVHC is performed by means of currently available analytical techniques against the following SVHC related documents published by ECHA: http://echa.europa.eu/web/guest/candidate-list-table These lists are under evaluation by ECHA and may subject to change in the future.
- (2) Concerning article(s):

In accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, any EU producer or importer of articles shall notify ECHA, in accordance with paragraph 4 of Article 7, if a substance meets the criteria in Article 57 and is identified in accordance with Article 59(1) of the Regulation, if (a) the substance in the Candidate List is present in those articles in quantities totaling over one tonne per producer or importer per year; and (b) the substance in the Candidate List is present in those articles above a concentration of 0.1% weight by weight (w/w).

Article 33 of Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 requires supplier of an article containing a substance meeting the criteria in Article 57 and identified in accordance with Article 59(1) in a concentration above 0.1% weight by weight (w/w) shall provide the recipient of the article with sufficient information, available to the supplier, to allow safe use of the article including, as a minimum, the name of that substance in the Candidate List.

SGS adopts the interpretation of ECHA for SVHC in article unless indicated otherwise. Detail explanation is available at the following link: http://webstage.contribute.sgs.net/corpreach/documents/SGS-CTS_SVHC-paper-EN-11.pdf

(3) Concerning material(s):

Test results in this report are based on the tested sample. This report refers to testing result of tested sample submitted as homogenous material(s). In case such material is being used to compose an article, the results indicated in this report may not represent SVHC concentration in such article. If this report refers to testing result of composite material group by equal weight proportion, the material in each composite test group may come from more than one article.

If the sample is a substance or mixture, and it directly exports to EU, client has the obligation to comply with the supply chain communication obligation under Article 31 of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 and the conditions of Authorization of substance of very high concern included in the Annex XIV of the Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

(4) Concerning substance and preparation:

If a SVHC is found over 0.1% (w/w) and/or the specific concentration limit which is set in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 and No 790/2009, client is suggested to prepare a Safety Data Sheet (SDS) against the SVHC to comply with the supply chain communication obligation under Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, in which:

- a substance that is classified as hazardous under the CLP Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.
- a mixture that is classified as dangerous according Dangerous Preparations Directive
1999/45/EC or classified as hazardous under the CLP Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, when
their concentrations are equal to, or greater than, those defined in the Article 3(3) of 1999/45/EC
or the lower values given in Part 3 of Annex VI of Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008; or
- a mixture is not classified as dangerous under Directive 1999/45/EC, but contains either:

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(a) a substance posing human health or environmental hazards in an individual concentration of \geq 1 % by weight for mixtures that are solid or liquids (i.e., non-gaseous mixtures) or \geq 0.2 % by volume for gaseous mixtures; or

(b) a substance that is PBT, or vPvB in an individual concentration of ≥ 0.1 % by weight for mixtures that are solid or liquids (i.e., non-gaseous mixtures); or

(c) a substance on the SVHC candidate list (for reasons other than those listed above), in an individual concentration of ≥ 0.1 % by weight for non-gaseous mixtures; or

- (d) a substance for which there are Europe-wide workplace exposure limits.
- (5) If a SVHC is found over the reporting limit, client is suggested to identify the component which contains the SVHC and the exact concentration of the SVHC by requesting further quantitative analysis from the laboratory.

Test Method :

SGS In-House method-NBCHEM-TOP-138, NBCHEM-TOP-124. Analyzed by ICP-OES, GC-MS, UV-VIS and Colorimetric Method/HPLC-DAD/MS.

Test Result : (Substances in the Candidate List of SVHC)

Substance Name	CAS No.	EC No.	non-leather Concentration (%)	RL (%)
[4-[[4-anilino-1-naphthyl][4- (dimethylamino)phenyl]methylene]cyclohex a-2,5-dien-1-ylidene] dimethylammonium chloride (C.I. Basic Blue 26)§	2580-56-5	219-943-6	ND	0.050
[4-[4,4'-bis(dimethylamino) benzhydrylidene]cyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylid ene]dimethylammonium chloride (C.I. Basic Violet 3)§	548-62-9	208-953-6	ND	0.050
4,4'-bis(dimethylamino) benzophenone (Michler's Ketone)	90-94-8	202-027-5	ND	0.050
4,4'-bis(dimethylamino)-4''- (methylamino)trityl alcohol§	561-41-1	209-218-2	ND	0.050
Diboron trioxide*	1303-86-2	215-125-8	ND	0.005
1,2-dimethoxyethane; ethylene glycol dimethyl ether (EGDME)	110-71-4	203-794-9	ND	0.050
Formamide	75-12-7	200-842-0	ND	0.050
Lead(II) bis(methanesulfonate)*	17570-76-2	401-750-5	ND	0.005

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Substance	Name	CAS No.	EC No.	non-leather Concentration (%)	RL (%)
N,N,N',N'-tetramethyl-4 ne (Michler's base)	4'-methylenedianili	101-61-1	202-959-2	ND	0.050
1,2-bis(2-methoxyethox (TEGDME; triglyme)	y)ethane	112-49-2	203-977-3	ND	0.050
TGIC (1,3,5-tris(oxirany -1,3,5-triazine-2,4,6(1H		2451-62-9	219-514-3	ND	0.050
α,α-Bis[4-(dimethylamin (phenylamino)naphthale (C.I. Solvent Blue 4)§	,	6786-83-0	229-851-8	ND	0.050
β-TGIC (1,3,5-tris[(2S a -2,3-epoxypropyl]-1,3,5- (1H,3H,5H)-trione)		59653-74-6	423-400-0	ND	0.050

Notes :

(1) RL = Reporting Limit. All RL are based on homogenous material

ND = Not detected (lower than RL), ND is denoted on the SVHC substance.

(2) * The test result is based on the calculation of selected element(s) / marker(s) and to the worst-case scenario. For detail information, please refer to the SGS REACH website: <u>www.reach.sgs.com/substance-of-very-high-concern-analysis-information-page.htm</u> Calculated concentration of diboron trioxide, boric acid, disodium tetraborate, anhydrous and tetraboron disodium heptaoxide, hydrate are based on the water extractive boron and sodium by ICP-OES.

RL = 0.005% is evaluated for element (i.e. cobalt, arsenic, lead, sodium, chromium (VI), silicon, aluminum, zirconium, boron, potassium, strontium, zinc and calcium respectively), except molybdenum RL=0.0005%

(3) § The substance is proposed for the identification as SVHC only where it contains Michler's ketone (CAS Number: 90-94-8) or Michler's base (CAS Number: 101-61-1) ≥ 0.1% (w/w).

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