

## Labelling fragranced homeware products in accordance with CLP

### Challenge

Company J produces a range of fragranced homeware formulations including reed diffusers and air fresheners. Its Regulatory Affairs Manager, F, noticed that two competing brands had recently started carrying red diamond pictograms. Company J had yet to re-classify and label its products to CLP; its plan had been to work under the Dangerous Preparations Directive until its repeal on 1 June 2015. However, considering the recent move to CLP by the company's major competitors, F contacted REACHReady for advice to ensure J's products remain competitive as well as compliant.

### Solution

Following an initial telephone conversation, REACHReady proposed a day's on-site consultancy with key members of Company J's senior managers and the Regulatory Affairs team. The aim of the meeting was two-fold: to provide J's managers with a strategic overview of the regulatory changes affecting the company's products in light of the 1 June CLP deadline, and to use examples from J's portfolio to demonstrate the principles of re-classification and labelling to the Regulatory Affairs team.

REACHReady started the day with an introductory presentation on the CLP Regulation, its scope and the transitional measures for mixtures. During the subsequent discussions, REACHReady's expert answered questions on resources, enforcement, timescales and strategizing the roll-out of new labels.

The afternoon session took a more technical approach. J's Regulatory Affairs Manager, F, had provided REACHReady with example formulations in advance so that our expert could review and gather any necessary classification and labelling information on ingredients. Our expert presented the formulations as worked examples, demonstrating the principles of classification in practice.

### Results

The meeting provided J's senior managers with an understanding of the activities and resources required to meet the 1 June 2015 deadline to enable them to devise a roll-out strategy. Using example formulations taken from J's portfolio, the Regulatory Affairs team gained experience in classifying mixtures, selecting label elements and using CLP's small package labelling exemptions.

### Further information

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