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Substance: Iron ores, agglomerates

Dear Members of the SIEF for Iron Ores, Agglomerates [iron ore pellets, Einecs number 265-996-3, CAS number 65996-65-8]:

The Lead Registrant is now in the final stages of preparing the registration dossier for pellets and, all being well, will submit this in a few weeks time. At this point we would like to advise you of the following:

- following our last communication some small changes have been made to the description and sameness specification for pellets in order to accommodate pellet fines. The <u>revised description</u> <u>and sameness specification</u> can be viewed via the link in this sentence:
- A <u>guidance document on analysis methods for pellets</u> has been posted on the Guidance page of the Iron Platform website.

Classification for Pellets

In accordance with Article 29 of the REACH regulation, specifically section 2 (b), the aim of each SIEF shall be to agree classification and labelling where there is a difference in the classification and labelling of the substance between potential registrants.

On behalf of the nominated lead registrant, Corus Staal BV, we hereby propose the following classification for Iron Ores, Agglomerates to the SIEF: no classification.

If you do not respond within 10 days of the date of this notice the lead registrant with act on the basis of your full agreement to this classification. If you disagree with this classification please respond within 10 days of the date of this notice detailing the specific reasons and scientific data to support your claim.

All communications should be sent to: sief@iron-consortium.org.

Rob Versfeld, Corus Staal BV, Lead Registrant Chris Barrington, Iron Platform Secretariat

REACH registration for specified IRON substances

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