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B-342 Flame Retardant Dechlorane removal

Dear Valued Brady Customer,

We hereby inform you about the plan of the EU government to add dechlorane+ to its legislation on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POP). Dechlorane+ is used in our premium B-342 sleeves as flame retardant component. The effective date will be 26th February 2025.

As of **December 15, 2024**, Brady will no longer ship dechlorane-containing B-342 material. Therefore, all orders shipped after December 15, 2024 will be dechlorane-free. This cutover date provides our customers more time to change over smoothly.

Our B-342 sleeves manufactured with the modification still meet the same industry standards as the legacy formula. The SAE AS23053/5 qualification and UL224 listing have been updated. Along with the change, Brady has optimized the B-342 burn temperature settings for Brady print systems. These settings optimize print quality on both the old and new material.

Questions on the change can be directed to your Brady Representative.

Sincerely, Sincerely yours,

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