

EU-GHS / CLP

Due to the new Reach Regulation 1907/2006 and the connected EU-GHS/CLP Regulation 1272/2008 there are a number of important changes coming up for the Classification, Labelling and Packaging;

The new Regulation for **substances** is due for production from **1st December 2010** onwards;

- The R & S (Risk & Safety) sentences on the labels need to be changed in H & P (Hazard and Precautionary) sentences.
- The actual pictograms need to be replaced by new ones. Because of a change in the classification of the chemical substances it might be that a pictogram needs to be removed from or added to a label. Also extra sentences with EUH-statements (for special hazards) need to be added.

There is a **transitional** periode for the selling of goods with old labels;

- for substances until **1st December 2012**

UNTIL 1ST DECEMBER 2010 THE LABELS CAN BE CHANGED.

UNTIL 1ST DECEMBER 2012 GOODS WITH OLD LABELLING MAY STILL BE PRESENT IN SHOPS AND WAREHOUSES. THIS IS NOT ALLOWED ANYMORE AFTER THAT DATE!

As soon as Sel Chemie B.V. will be informed by her suppliers about the registration and classification of the chemical substances, she will inform her customers by return.

The new regulation for **mixtures** is due from 1st June 2015 onwards and there is also a transitional period for the selling of goods with old labels;

- for mixtures until **1st June 2017**

(See our website for additional information)

For more information about the EU-GHS/CLP Regulation:

[SenterNovem - GHS](#)

[Het wereldwijd geharmoniseerde systeem van indeling en etikettering van chemische stoffen en Verordening nr. 1272/2008](#)

<http://www.lne.be/themas/veiligheidsrapportage/gevaarlijke-stoffen/ghs>

http://ec.europa.eu/enterprise/reach/ghs/index_en.htm

<http://www.baua.de/de/Themen-von-A-Z/Gefahrstoffe/Einstufung-und-Kennzeichnung/GHS/GHS.html? nnn=true& nnn=true>

<http://www.umweltbundesamt.at/umweltschutz/chemikalien/>

<http://www.bag.admin.ch/themen/chemikalien/00531/00533/index.html?lang=de>