



## Press Release

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### LEL-Group REACH Implementation Process

At a recent meeting of the LEL-Group in Milan, managing directors of the five member companies crafted a common strategy for the implementation of REACH. The LEL REACH Implementation Process uses resources developed by each LEL-Group member in conjunction with the advisory services of REACH implementation companies in multiple EU countries. Suppliers to the LEL-Group and to individual LEL-Group companies will benefit from an integrated European wide approach to substance registration under REACH.

The LEL-Group has been actively probing the development of REACH legislation through local industry associations, through CEFIC and by direct individual contributions in Brussels. The LEL REACH Implementation Process will benefit customers throughout the EU who will continue to receive a high level of support for existing products and for new product development.

LEL-Group is the alliance of Technical Distribution Specialists C. H. Erbslöh K.G., Lake Chemicals and Minerals Ltd., Lavollée Chimie S.A., Urai S.p.a., and Zeus Quimica S.A. operating out of 12 companies in Europe with sales of over €150 million to more than 5,000 customers.

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