14 October 2019

Regretfully Flint Hire & Supply Limited are announcing the suspension from sale of all “wet” Rosco products, excluding the Rosco Supersaturated Range, with immediate effect and until further notice.

It has recently come to our attention that these Rosco paints, glazes, and specialist coatings have Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDSs) that refer to American Standards, as they are manufactured in the USA. In the ever-evolving world of compliance these products must have documentation to comply with European Standards. Until Rosco are able to supply MSDSs that refer to the correct standards, we understand that we would be in breach of UK regulations and it would be unlawful for us to sell these products. Flints understands this will not change post-Brexit, even in the event of “no deal”.

We have not taken the decision to suspend sales lightly. We feel that we must take action to protect our customers, and to ensure that they can rely on us to provide products that meet required standards and allow them to work safely with proper and adequate protection. Without having MSDSs that refer to European Standards we are unable to guarantee the content and health/environmental impact of these products. We are committed to returning these products for sale as soon as the correct testing and paperwork is in place, and we will provide updates on products as we have them. We are expecting the correct MSDSs for a number of products imminently (detailed below), and will release them for sale once received.

If you have concerns about the supply of these products, please contact our customer services team who have been briefed with a full list of affected products, and potential alternatives. If you wish to discuss this matter with a member of Flints’ management team, please email msds@flints.co.uk detailing your enquiry or concerns.

We are extremely sorry for any inconvenience caused, and we do hope that our customers will recognise that this has been a difficult decision for us to take, but we have done so with their best interests at heart.

The following products are affected:

**Rosco Paints & Glazes**
- Rosco TV White* & Black
- Rosco Off Broadway - White*
- Rosco Off Broadway - all other colours
- Rosco Colorcoat
- Rosco Fluorescent Paint
- Rosco Tough Prime Black & White*
- Rosco Chroma* Green & Blue Paints
- Rosco Digicomp HD Green and Blue Paints
- Rosco Vivid FX paints
- Rosco Premiere Clear
- Rosco Clear Glazes*
- Rosco Glo

**Rosco Coatings / Flame Retardents / Cleaners / Fluids**
- Rosco Flexbond
- Rosco Flexcoat
- Rosco Crystal Gel*
- Rosco Foamcoat*
- Rosco Floor Cleaners
- Rosco Flamex
- Rosco Fog Fluids

A full list with product codes can be found [here](#).

We are expecting the correct MSDS sheets for products marked with an * imminently, and once received will release them for sale.

**UPDATE 26/11/2019**

Products that have been struckthrough (eg Foamcoat) have had the correct MSDS provided and are now available for sale again.

Yours Sincerely,

Ben Lyle
Managing Director
Flint Hire & Supply Ltd.