



18 August 2019

Subject: Partner application for Lead Paint Alliance

To whom it may concern:

The Powder Coating Research Group, Inc. is a private US corporation that specializes in coatings technology. We endorse the goals and objectives of the Lead Paint Alliance and wish to be considered as its partner. We are attaching the duly completed WHO Tobacco/Arms Disclosure Statement and confirm that we will adhere to the principles of the Framework for Engagement with Non-State Actors (FENSA).

The contributions that we would like to make to the work of the Lead Paint Alliance are described below:

- Professional knowledge and experience with developing non-lead containing paint formulations that meet the color and performance criteria of consumer, commercial and industrial customers. Provide this expertise to paint producers.
- Introduce relevant industry partners, specifically organic and inorganic pigment producers, to the work of the Lead Paint Alliance and to interested paint producers.

We understand that this letter of intent is not legally binding and that a copy of this letter of commitment and the name of the Powder Coating Research Group, Inc. will be publically listed on the Lead Paint Alliance website.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kevin Biller', is written over a light blue horizontal line.

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TOBACCO /ARMS RELATED DISCLOSURE STATEMENT FOR NON-STATE ACTORS ¹

Pursuant the WHO Framework of Engagement with Non-State Actors, WHO does not engage with the tobacco industry or non-State actors that work to further the interests of the tobacco industry. WHO also does not engage with the arms industry.²

For the purposes of this statement:

- tobacco industry means any entity involved in the manufacture, sale or distribution of tobacco and related products, and any affiliate of such entity; and

- arms industry means any entity involved in the manufacture, sale or distribution of arms, and any affiliate of such entity.

This disclosure statement needs to be provided by any nongovernmental organization, private sector entity, philanthropic foundation and academic institution prior to engaging with WHO.

In view of the foregoing, please answer the following questions:

1. Is your entity, or was your entity over the last four years, part of the tobacco or arms industries (as defined above)? Yes|__| No|| Unable to answer |__|

2. To the best of your entity's knowledge, is your entity, or has your entity over the last four years, engaged in activities that are aimed at furthering or supporting the interests of the tobacco industry? This includes, but is not limited to, supply contracts, contract work, services and lobbying.

Yes|__| No|| Unable to answer |__|

3. To the best of your entity's knowledge, does your entity currently, or did your entity over the last four years, have any other association or relationship with the tobacco industry (as defined above). This includes in particular investment interests (other than general mutual funds or similar arrangements whereby your entity has no control over the selection of the investments), commercial business interests, the provision or receipt of financial and/or other support.

Yes|__| No|| Unable to answer |__|

¹ Nongovernmental organizations, private sector entities, philanthropic foundations and academic institutions.

² Paragraph 44, Framework of Engagement with Non-State Actors.

4. If you have answered yes to any of the above or are unable to answer one or more questions, please provide a general statement of explanation.

Please note that the WHO Secretariat reserves the right to request additional information from your entity in this regard.

By providing this statement, your entity commits to promptly inform WHO of any change to the above information and to complete a new statement that describes the changes.

Signature:  (duly authorized representative)

Name and Title of duly authorized representative: KEVIN M. BILLER, PRESIDENT

Name of entity: Date: POWDER COATING RESEARCH GROUP, INC.
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