

Neratovice on 4th July 2013

Notice of the occurrence and duration of Events of Force Majeur

Dear Business Partners,

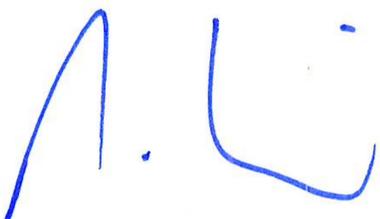
as a result of extraordinary flood activity in the Czech Republic and in accordance with § 377 of the Czech Commercial Code, we regret to inform you, that following the declaration of third level of flood activity on the river Elbe which was announced on 2nd June 2013 and acute and substantial threat to the production facilities of SPOLANA a.s. which developed on the 3rd June the complete shutdown of all production of the company SPOLANA a.s in accordance with the relevant provisions of the legislation was carried out.

Considering the above mentioned SPOLANA a.s. will not be able to meet its obligations under the contracts and will be forced to reduce or completely stop the purchase of raw materials and delivery of products, **at least until 20th June 2013.**

Obstacles that prevent SPOLANA a.s. from performing its obligations is characterized as an obstacle in terms of the provisions of § 374 of the Czech Commercial Code, which means obstruction occurred independently of the company, preventing it from fulfilling its duties, and was objectively unforeseeable, unavoidable.

SPOLANA a.s. will promptly notify you of any changes to the above mentioned situation, the restriction on the purchase of raw materials and supplies products and removal of the Event of Force Majeure on the side of SPOLANA a.s.

Best regards



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