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News Release

Successful Registration

Cancarb's Thermax Products REACH Registered

"Cancarb Limited is pleased to announce the successful REACH registration of all of Cancarb's Thermax® and Carbocolor thermal carbon black products by our "Only Representative" Global Energy Investments S.a.r.L.

The successful registration was confirmed by the European Chemical Agency (ECHA) on November 13, 2009 and comes well before the deadline of November 30, 2010. This milestone, after more than 2 years of sustained work, relieves the Downstream Users of Thermax® and Carbocolor thermal carbon black products of their REACH obligations. Further, it guarantees the uninterrupted supply of these products to the European Union.

Cancarb is the world leader in thermal carbon black production and continues its REACH activities as a member of the Carbon Black Consortium. For further details please visit www.cancarb.com