



EU Food Contact Materials Plastic Regulation Add Authorization for a Substance

On August 11, 2023, the Official Journal of the European Union published the revised regulation (EU) 2023/1627 of the Food Contact Materials Plastic Regulation (EU) 10/2011. The revised regulation added DEHCH to Annex I of (EU) 10/2011, the revised regulation will come into force on the 20th day after publication and will be directly applicable to all member states. The details are as follows:

In Annex I to Regulation (EU) No 10/2011, the following entry is inserted in numerical order:

FCM substance No	Ref. No	CAS No	Substance name	Use as additive or polymer production aid (yes/no)	Use as monomer or other starting substance or macromolecule obtained from microbial fermentation (yes/no)	FRF applicable (yes/no)	SML [mg/kg]	SML(T) [mg/kg] (Group restriction No)	Restrictions and specifications	Notes on verification of compliance
1079		84731-70-4	bis(2-ethylhexyl) cyclohexane-1,4-dicarboxylate (DEHCH)	yes	no	no	0.05		Only to be used as an additive in poly(vinyl chloride) (PVC) at up to 25 % w/w in contact at room temperature or below with foods for which food simulants A or B are assigned in Table 2 of Annex III.	

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