How Does Your Company Plan to Deal with the GHS Labeling Requirement Deadline?

The UniNet iColor® 700 Digital Label Press is fully GHS certified and can help you become compliant overnight!

Companies shipping chemicals throughout the United States are required to have a plan in place by June 15th 2015 and must have it implemented by year's end. Around the world, there are varying deadlines which are all quickly approaching.

GHS, BS5609 and IMDG Certification - The Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS), is an international system that was created by the United Nations and ensures global consistency for the labeling of dangerous goods. British Marine Standard BS5609 is a requirement for self-adhesive drum labels needing International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG) certification for shipment.

These standards set out various criteria for label durability when dangerous goods are being transported in marine environments. It stipulates that the drums and containers used to contain the hazardous goods, be durably marked and remain identifiable for at least three months being immersed in the sea. In order to print fully-compliant drum and chemical labels, the facestock, adhesive and printed graphics all need to meet the requirements for sections 1, 2 and 3 of the BS5609 standards. In addition, the graphics of the labels must comply by utilizing the standardized black and red pictogram system accompanied with the precautionary text layouts.

The iColor® 700 roll to roll Digital Label Press is ideal for printing full color GHS BS5609-compliant (Sections 1, 2 & 3) chemical and drum labels on demand. Die-cut labels printed on the iColor® 700 deliver outstanding stability and resistance to water, chemicals, fading and smudges when exposed to the harshest of elements. With print speeds of up to 9.14 meters/min (30 ft./min), the iColor® 700 will allow users to eliminate the need for ordering pre-printed labels, reduce inventory and wait times, and customize each label with our optional variable data package, all in full color and in a single pass.

UniNet has partnered with MACtac Printing Products and offer two suitable solutions for BS5609-compliant labeling; polyester (PET), and biaxially-oriented polypropylene (BOPP) synthetic films. The PET is a 2.0 mil matte white polyester with an aggressive permanent acrylic adhesive and 3.4 mil lay-flat liner. The BOPP is a 2.6 mil white material using the same permanent acrylic adhesive, and an SCK liner.

To learn more about our iColor® 700 GHS Certified Printer, Toner and Media, please visit our website at: http://www.icolorprint.com/products/icolor700

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UniNet is a worldwide Original Equipment Manufacturer and solutions provider with over 25 years of experience in the imaging industry and a leader in imaging products for laser printers, copiers & MFP's. With sales, service and distribution networks on every continent, UniNet has earned a global reputation for high quality products and outstanding customer service.

The iColor® 700 Digital Label Press was designed to fit the needs of the short run label market. This compact digital printer, which boasts the smallest footprint in its class, allows users to make changes in-house at a moment's notice. When ordering through traditional print houses, altering any part of a label such as logos, ingredients, colors, or fonts are all costly adjustments.

With iColor® technology, UV and water resistant labels can be printed instantly, on a variety of pre die cut and continuous roll media substrates, eliminating the need to store bulk quantities on site.

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