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Change Notification - 2021 - 03 – Next Generation gaskets will be called Flex-Pure™

Dear valued Business Partner,

we hereby inform you about recent changes we decided to make concerning Next Generation elastomeric gaskets, further described in the following.

Please find specific details on page 2 of this document in the Quality Management Form "*FB 2202 Products Change Notification*"

Best regards,
Team Rubber Fab Europe

Attachments

- PSI Products "FB 2202 Products Change Notification" on page 2

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1. Type of Change / Art der Änderung							
Affected by change	Not affected by change						
✓ Item description ✓ Documentation ✓ Dimensions ✓ Laser-etching information ✓ Certification ✓ Packaging / labelling	✗ Item number ✗ Material ✗ Other _____						
2. Products Affected / betroffene Produkte							
Next Generation elastomeric Tri-Clamp gaskets (EPDM, FKM, VMQ). You can find a list of affected items attached to this message.							
3. Reason for Change / Grund der Änderung							
After Rubber Fab Europe launched Next Generation elastomeric gaskets (EPDM, FKM, VMQ) to answer the most stringent market requirements in Europe, Rubber Fab USA eventually decided to start launching the range as well, starting with the superior EPDM, filing an application for registration of the trademark Flex-Pure™. Recognizing the power of a global trademark, Rubber Fab in Europe will therefore call what was formerly known as Next Generation elastomeric gaskets: Flex-Pure™.							
4. Description of Change / Beschreibung der Änderung							
This change is valid with immediate effect. Renaming Next Generation Tri-Clamp gaskets into Flex-Pure™ requires changes further described in the following section: Item description change: • Item numbers (e.g. "ISO1127-06-PX-NG-LE") will not be changed! • Item descriptions will be updated to mention Flex-Pure™ • Here is one example for the change, please see all other items' changes in attached overview <table border="1" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 20%;">Item number</td> <td>40MPE-100-NG-LE</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Former item description</td> <td>EPDM; Tri-Clamp Gasket; 22,3mm ID x 50,5mm OD; ASME BPE; DIN32676 Series C; DN 1" Etched</td> </tr> <tr> <td>New item description</td> <td>Flex-Pure EPDM; TC Gasket; 22,3mm ID x 50,5mm OD; ASME BPE; DIN32676 Series C; DN 1"; Etched</td> </tr> </table> • Please note that the item description is mentioned on quotations, order confirmations, invoices, certificates, labels, delivery notes and in the price book.		Item number	40MPE-100-NG-LE	Former item description	EPDM; Tri-Clamp Gasket; 22,3mm ID x 50,5mm OD; ASME BPE; DIN32676 Series C; DN 1" Etched	New item description	Flex-Pure EPDM; TC Gasket; 22,3mm ID x 50,5mm OD; ASME BPE; DIN32676 Series C; DN 1"; Etched
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Documentation change:

Several product documentation documents needed to be revised for this change. Please see following table:

Document	Old version	Date	New version	Date	Changes
Hygienic Solutions Brochure	RF_Hygienic_Solutions_EN_LR_06052021	06.05.2021	RF_Hygienic_Solutions_EN_LR_24062021	24.06.2021	Updated relevant sections towards Flex-Pure™
One-Pager Flex-Pure™ EPDM	RF_One_Pager_EPDM_Next_Generation_20210506	06.05.2021	RF_One_Pager_Flex-Pure_EPDM_210618	18.06.2021	Updated relevant sections towards Flex-Pure™
One-Pager Flex-Pure™ FKM	RF_One_Pager_FKM_Next_Generation_20210506	03.02.2021	RF_One_Pager_Flex-Pure_FKM_210618	18.06.2021	Updated relevant sections towards Flex-Pure™
One-Pager Flex-Pure™ VMQ	RF_One_Pager_Silicone_Next_Generation_20210506	06.05.2021	RF_One_Pager_Flex-Pure_VMQ_210618	18.06.2021	Updated relevant sections towards Flex-Pure™
Dossier Flex-Pure™ EPDM	RF_EPDM_Black_NG_Dossier_020321	02.03.2021	RF_Dossier_Flex_Pure_EPDM_210622	22.06.2021	Updated relevant sections towards Flex-Pure™
Dossier Flex-Pure™ FKM	RF_Dossier_FKM_Black_NG_210920	20.09.2021	RF_Dossier_Flex_Pure_FKM_210622	22.06.2021	Updated relevant sections towards Flex-Pure™
Dossier Flex-Pure™ VMQ	RF_Dossier_VMQ_Translucent_NG_210920	20.09.2021	RF_Dossier_Flex_Pure_VMQ_210622	22.06.2021	Updated relevant sections towards Flex-Pure™
Product Selection Guide	RF_Selection_Guide_Materials_20042020	20.04.2020	RF_Product_Selection_Guide_V6_210622	22.06.2021	Updated relevant sections towards Flex-Pure™
Price book	Necessary changes (item descriptions, material info) will be informed incorporated into updated second version of price book 2021, informed soon with a separate communication				

You can find updated documents on Rubber Fab's website in the Distributor Portal.

Dimensional change

We improved the products' internal diameter to fit perfectly when applying 30 in/lbs compression; you can find dedicated dimensional chart "RF_Dimensional_Overview_Flex_Pure_Gaskets_210622" on the Distributor Portal.

Laser-etching information change

Old: Material info [FKM/EPDM/VMQ] + Lot number [123456789]

New: FLEX-PURE + Material info [FKM/EPDM/VMQ] + Lot number [123456789]

Certification

The compliances of the gaskets will not be affected!

What is affected is the info contained on the certificates in line with the changes:

Item description:

In line with explanations above and attached affected items list

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Material info:

EPDM Peroxide Cured – Flex-Pure

FKM Peroxide Cured – Flex-Pure

Silicone Platinum Cured – Flex-Pure

Please check out the products' dossiers in the Distributor Portal.

Packaging / labelling change

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