

PRESS RELEASE

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UNTRUE AND MISLEADING INFORMATION PUBLISHED IN THE PRESS RELEASE OF CONRETE CANVAS DATED 16 JUNE 2023

This is in response to yet another untrue and misleading press release dated 16 June 2023, published by Concrete Canvas Ltd ("**Concrete Canvas**") in the Geosynthetic News Alerts in connection with the legal proceedings between Concrete Canvas with Inland Tarp & Liner, LLC ("**ITL**"). Once more Concrete Canvas tries to turn its dispute over advertising independently created by a US distributor into an unwarranted attack on the product TILTEX and its manufacturer Eurobent sp. z o.o. ("**Eurobent**").

Claims presented by ITL in its advertisements had been drafted by ITL alone and the attempt by Concrete Canvas to link them to Eurobent has no basis in facts. Eurobent's only connection to the subject of that dispute was that Eurobent considers the ratio of water to cementitious material mix of 0.18 to be, to the best of Eurobent's knowledge, the most appropriate for the testing of that material separate from the finished product (for the avoidance of doubt, the ratio for hydration of a finished product being 1:2, i.e. 0,5 liters of water per 1 kg of TILTEX mat). That professional opinion was shared with ITL and its test laboratory. Concrete Canvas description of this ratio as "artificially low" is entirely false.

The strongest confirmation, that Eurobent was not involved in any false advertising was Concrete Canvas' failure to initiate any legal action against Eurobent and addressing its claims solely to ITL. Concrete Canvas is unwilling to put its allegations to a review by independent judiciary and limits itself to spreading false and/or misleading rumours in the media.

Finally, we again draw the readers' attention to Concrete Canvas' continued misleading attempt to present tests and test results prepared not in accordance with the ASTM D8364 norm as somehow defective. There is no basis for that position in law or in fact. The ASTM D8364 norm is purely voluntary and may be used or not at the discretion of manufacturers or sellers, who are free to test and describe parameters their products in terms entirely unrelated to the requirements of ASTM D8364.

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