

# (Responsible CARE)

## ELIX POLYMERS, SL

, as a FEIQUE member, will support “Responsible Care”, the voluntary Chemical Industry’s initiative, and so will undertake to fulfil its operations improving continuously, Environmental, Safety and Health protection, as a fundamental contribution to Sustainable Development applying the following

### GUIDING PRINCIPLES

#### COMPANY POLICY:

The Company agrees that the implementation of its Environmental, Safety and Health protection policies are consistent with the “Responsible Care” programme which should be specifically mentioned as being part of its general policy.

#### EMPLOYEE PARTICIPATION:

The Company recognises that Workers’ participation is essential for this initiative, and that communication and training policies to cover the industrial and commercial activity of the company will be carried out.

#### RISK PREVENTION AND ASSESSMENT:

The Company will assign technical and human resources to identify, assess and manage potential risks in its own processes and products, with emphasis on prevention and control of accidents.

#### COMUNICATION AND PROMOTION:

The Company will inform its workers, customers and members of society, especially those who handle chemicals, about the potential risks and preventive measures being taken by the company to cover its processes and products.

#### PRODUCT STEWARDSHIP:

The Company will inform and advise customers, and others along the supply chain, about product hazards and risks in handling, use, carriage and treatment operations of its chemicals as well as wastes, water or air emissions that are related to them.

#### RESOURCES CONSERVATION:

The Company will support the principle of resources conservation and will minimize wastes and emissions to water, air and land in accordance with the best available technologies, assuring the highest level of protection possible.

#### TECHNICAL AND SCIENTIFIC ADVANCES:

The Company will contribute to investigation and education, spreading results from scientific studies related to the effects of its processes, products, emissions and wastes.

#### CONTRACTORS AND SUBCONTRACTORS:

The Company will select, control and inform contractors about applying the same Safety, Health and Environmental standards as the Company.

#### COLLABORATION WITH AUTHORITIES:

The Company will co-operate with governments and organisations in the development and establishment of effective standards and regulations, and will achieve or exceed its requirements.

#### OBJECTIVES AND CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT:

The Company will assume the principle of continuous improvement, through the periodic identification of qualitative and quantitative objectives and managing them by measuring the respective indicators of performance.

*The signatory,*

**Marcial Mora Díez**

*Chief executive officer of **ELIX POLYMERS, SL** commits the Company to respect these principles*

*Joining Date: **1<sup>st</sup> of January 2008***

*Last renewal date: **1<sup>st</sup> of January 2010***

*Signature:*

