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Information regarding Bentopharm to satisfy the requirements of Cosmetic Regulation EU2017/1224.

- Bentopharm is mechanically milled, bagged, irradiated if required, it is analysed using approved third parties by Wilfrid Smith Limited who trade from the contact address shown on this letterhead.
- The material is mined in the USA and imported into the UK by Wilfrid Smith Limited for production as given above.
- Bentopharm is produced without the use of any metal catalysts or reagents. The finished material contains less than 50ppm of heavy metal and further testing for Lead and Arsenic can be carried out to comply with Food Additive 2008/84/EC regulations.
- Specification and SDS are attached as separate documents. No SDS is required as the material is exempt from REACH and non-hazardous. The SDS attached is compliant with EC2015/830, EC1272/2008 and EC2020/878 and is offered as a courtesy to our customers.
- Certificate of analysis and irradiation certificate, if required, is available for every batch.
- Bentopharm is exempt from REACH under Annex V Paragraph 7 of the regulation, as a non-hazardous natural mineral.
- Bentopharm is milled from Bentonite clay which is a substance of "Unknown or Variable composition, Complex reaction product or Biological material" (UVCB according to REACH and CLP regulations). The purity of the material is 100% w/w which includes the impurities associated with a UVCB.
- Bentopharm does not contain any Nanomaterials, SVHC, CMR, VOCs, Glycols or Methylisothiazolinone.
- The material is produced without contact with any GMO materials, products containing GMOs or pathways where GMO materials have been produced.
- Bentopharm has never been tested on animals.
- Bentopharm is not known to contain any hormones, allergens (EC/1169/2011), collagen, gelatine, tallow or natural rubber (2003/32/EC), or palm oil.
- Bentopharm is not derived from nor has come into contact with any materials or machinery that has been exposed to hormones BSE/TSE, bovine, porcine, caprine, ovine, deer, elk, mink or feline materials. (2003/32EC)
- It does not involve the use of Solvents in the manufacture, or preservatives including parabens.
- Bentonite (E558) can be used by all religious groups, vegetarians and vegans.
- Bentopharm has an unlimited shelf-life subject to the appropriate storage in dry conditions, away from direct sunlight and excess of temperatures. A retest after five years is recommended. (Excludes irradiated material).

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The above information is given in good faith, but we disclaim responsibility for the results of using the products in guestion and the information cannot be construed to infringe any patents. Specifications are given to the best of our knowledge but are subject to variation.