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Dear all, Please find attached a press release of Brenntag regarding the distribution of Corbion´s newly launched range of ESTERLAC (Trademark) emulsifiers and surfactants to cosmetics customers in key European markets. For further information please see the press release. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have further questions. Best regards, Hubertus Spethmann

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Brenntag (WKN A1DAHH), the global market leader in chemical distribution, is distributing Corbion´s newly launched range of ESTERLAC* emulsifiers and surfactants to cosmetics customers in key European markets.

The ESTERLAC portfolio of products are produced from natural Lactic Acid and Fatty Acids and are readily biodegradable. These extremely mild and effective emulsifiers and surfactants bring enhanced stability and offer excellent skin and hair feel in cosmetic product formulations.

Michael Wilkop, Brenntag Director Marketing Cosmetics & Pharma EMEA, comments: "Brenntag holds a strong foothold in the cosmetics industry in EMEA and this extension of our product line provides an excellent opportunity for formulators to create unique cosmetics that consumers will love."

Lisa Swain, Global Market Director Home & Personal Care at Corbion, adds, "Our versatile ESTERLAC portfolio enables formulators to create high-performing natural chassis for CPG companies intent on delivering what conscious consumers want."

To begin, Brenntag will introduce formulation concepts with ESTERLAC emulsifiers as part of their creative "SenSense" concept at this year's In-Cosmetics Global in Paris, taking place April 2-4.

ESTERLAC is a registered trademark of Corbion.

About Brenntag:

Brenntag, the global market leader in chemical distribution, covers all major markets with its extensive product and service portfolio. Headquartered in Essen, Germany, the company operates a global network with more than 580 locations in 73 countries and a workforce of more than 16,600 employees. In 2018, the company generated sales of EUR 12.6 billion (USD 14.8 billion). Brenntag connects chemical manufacturers and chemical users. The company supports its customers and suppliers with tailor-made distribution solutions for industrial and specialty chemicals. With more than 10,000 products and a world-class supplier base, Brenntag offers one-stop-shop solutions to around 195,000 customers. This includes specific application technology, an extensive technical support and value-added services such as just-in-time delivery, product mixing, formulation, repackaging, inventory management and drum return handling. Long-standing experience and local excellence in the individual countries characterize the global market leader for chemical distribution.

[About Corbion:](#)

Corbion is the global market leader in lactic acid, lactic acid derivatives, and a leading company in emulsifiers, functional enzyme blends, minerals, vitamins and algae ingredients. We develop sustainable ingredient solutions to improve the quality of life for people today and for future generations. For over 100 years, we have been uncompromising in our commitment to safety, quality, innovation and performance. Drawing on our deep application and product knowledge, we work side-by-side with customers to make our cutting edge technologies work for them. Our solutions help differentiate products in markets such as food, home & personal care, animal nutrition, pharmaceuticals, medical devices, and bioplastics. In 2018, Corbion generated annual sales of EUR 897.2 million and had a workforce of 2,040 FTE. Corbion is listed on Euronext Amsterdam. For more information: www.corbion.com

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