



February 17, 2026

Subject: Detrex Persistent Organic Pollutants Statement

To whom it may concern,

Persistent organic pollutants (POPs) are organic substances that persist in the environment, accumulate in living organisms and pose a risk to our health and the environment. They can be transported by air, water or migratory species across international borders, reaching regions where they have never been produced or used. There are roughly 32 POP's listed on the Stockholm Convention List. Examples of these compounds include chemicals such as polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs), pesticides such as DDT and others, dioxins, and a variety of other industrial chemicals.

No POP substances are used to produce, package, store, or handle any Detrex Hydrochloric Acid products.

While we do not routinely test for these compounds, to the best of our knowledge we have no reason to suspect they may exist in our Hydrochloric Acid Products.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dave Morgan". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a distinct "D" and "M".

Dave Morgan
Global Product Manager, Hydrochloric Acid
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