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To kind attention to all

CUSTOMERS and STAKEHOLDERS

SUBJECT : **STATEMENT OF CONFORMITY -
VOLUNTARY LOGOS THAT ACCOMPANY THE PRODUCTS**








REFERENCE : **FEDRIGONI SpA - Verona / Italy**

We attest that our internal logos of a voluntary nature are in conformity with the standard ISO 14021¹ and have the following meanings:

	pH NEUTRAL	The watery extract of the fibrous support is pH neutral.
	ACID FREE	Use of production processes conducted in non-acidic environments, in particular with regard to the phases of paper sizing.
	LONG LIFE	Complies with the requirements in the ISO 9706 standard, allowing the paper to be described as 'long life' and guaranteeing its durability, while also certifying that it contains no more than 5 % of wood pulp or semi-chemical pulp, has a pH between 7.5 and 10 in the watery extract and an alkaline reserve of more than 2 %.
	ECF (Elemental Chlorine Free)	The pulp has been bleached using environmentally-friendly processes that guarantee a maximum level of derived organic chlorine compound contents of less than 0.8 kg/ton.
	TCF (Total Chlorine Free)	The pulp has been bleached using environmentally-friendly processes that use no chlorine-based products at all and guarantee a maximum level of derived organic chlorine compound contents of less than 0.2 kg/ton.

¹ ISO 14021 - Regulates the use of environmental labels and declarations (EPDs 2nd type) who report environmental information reported by manufacturers, importers, or distributors of products, without any intervention of an independent certification body. Anyway, is required to respect a lot of constraints to be respected on the dissemination of information content and requirements.

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	SELECTED SECONDARY FIBERS	Use of highly selected recycled secondary pre-consumer and post-consumer fibers.
	ANNUAL FIBERS	Use of pulp coming from annual low-growth plants such as bamboo, hemp, kenaf and linen, thus contributing to reducing tall tree logging.
	WELL MANAGED FOREST	Use of pulp deriving from wood coming from sustainably managed forests. This logo certifies that the wood-based raw materials comply with the best principles of environmental sustainability in the case of those of our products that are not already covered by CoC-FSC certification.
	COTTON BASED PRODUCT	Use of cotton fibers (annual plant) in the constitution of the paper.
	HYDRO POWER PRODUCT	Product manufactured using hydroelectric power spending a renewable source such as water.
	WET STRENGTH PRODUCT	Product with high wet strength.
	HEAVY METAL ABSENCE	Specific compliance with European Directive N° 94/62/EC and ss. ee., transposed into Italian legislation as Legislative Decree N° 22 dated 05. 02. 1997 and subsequent amendments, which defines the maximum thresholds of permissible presence of heavy metals in packaging and wastes derived from packaging.

This declaration applies to all products we manufacture and sell.

Yours sincerely,

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² This document has been drawn up electronically and is valid as well without an original signature
Signature replaced in accordance with Art. no.3 / Paragraph 2 of Italian Legislative Decree no. 39/93