

## **The Chemical Company named distributor for Emerald Performance Materials** *TCC is now offering K-FLEX Dibenzoate plasticizers as part of their extensive line of ester products*

**JAMESTOWN, RI** – Emerald Kalama Chemical, a business unit of Emerald Performance Materials, has selected The Chemical Company (TCC) as a distribution partner for their K-Flex line of dibenzoate-based plasticizers.

TCC and Emerald Kalama have created a partnership that will grow Emerald Kalama's market reach. The addition of the K-Flex products will bolster an already extensive ester product line for TCC. TCC's strong sales prominence in the Americas will expand the reach of West Coast based Emerald Kalama. The K-Flex line of multi-purpose products also includes numerous applications in coatings, sealants, caulks, flexible vinyl and adhesives—adding value to TCC's extensive product line. TCC customers now have access to the most comprehensive line of plasticizers in the marketplace.

Business Director Eric Post and Sales Manager Jason Butt from Emerald Kalama recently visited TCC headquarters to meet with CEO, Nick Roach and President, Robb Roach. Jason Butt led the TCC sales team through an informative technical training session of the K-Flex products.

The TCC line of plasticizers has expanded to include the Emerald Kalama current K-Flex dibenzoate product line: K-Flex 850S, K-Flex 850P, K-Flex 500, K-Flex 500P, K-Flex 975P, K-Flex PG, and K-Flex DP. The K-Flex plasticizer line is an excellent phthalate free solution for formulators looking to satisfy environmentally friendly, non-SVHC, low VOC plasticizers and coalescents.

### **About The Chemical Company**

The Chemical Company is an international chemical distribution firm founded in 1988 by CEO Robert N Roach Jr. in Jamestown, Rhode Island. TCC was built on a foundation of ethical business practices designed to foster steady growth supported by a vested and dedicated long-term work force. TCC has consistently provided clients with high quality chemical products and quality service in the chemical industry for close to 30 years.

### **About Emerald Kalama Chemical**

Emerald Kalama Chemical, based in Kalama, Washington, is a wholly owned subsidiary of Emerald Performance Materials (EPM). Emerald Kalama is a manufacturer of additives and polymers that improve product durability and performance.

EPM was formed in 2006 from divestiture of certain businesses of Lubrizol. EPM maintains a long heritage—nearly 100 years in the specialty chemical industry. Since EPM's formation in 2006, the company has nearly doubled in size with eight manufacturing locations and over 800 employees.

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