

REGULATION 31(4)(A) OF THE WATER SUPPLY (WATER QUALITY) REGULATIONS 2016 (AS AMENDED) & THE WATER SUPPLY (WATER QUALITY) REGULATIONS 2018

APPROVAL CONFIRMATION

Product name/designation	Acothane DW Blue
Approval Holder (Name & Address)	Axalta Coating Systems Blackwell Road, Huthwaite, NG17 2RG United Kingdom
Instructions for Use	Title: Acothane DW - A COATING AND LINING FOR WATER RETAINING STRUCTURES INCLUDING TANKS, VESSELS, RESERVOIRS, PIPELINES, PIPE RANDOM LENGTHS, BENDS, FITTINGS AND VALVES. Issue: Issue 9 Issue Date: 02/12/2024
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The Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs in respect of relevant water suppliers¹ whose area of supply is wholly or mainly in England, and the Welsh Ministers in respect of relevant water suppliers whose area of supply is wholly or mainly in Wales, in exercise of their powers under Regulation 31(4)(a) of the Water Supply (Water Quality) Regulations 2016 and Regulation 31(4)(a) of the Water Supply (Water Quality) Regulations 2010 (Wales) respectively hereby approve the introduction of the product detailed above, in accordance with the following Conditions of Use & Approval.

CONDITIONS OF USE & APPROVAL

The above named product is approved for application in England and Wales² by a water supply company for public water supply purposes subject to the following conditions:

1. Water undertakers and water supply licensees shall be provided with a copy of the Instructions for Use (IFU) detailed above and use of the approved product must be in accordance with the IFU.

2. The Drinking Water Inspectorate (DWI) must be notified, in advance and in writing, by the approval holder detailed above, in respect of any **further** change(s) in –

- The Instructions for Use
- The formulation of the approved product, including change in source or identity of raw materials
- The manufacturing process, including location of manufacture
- The designation of the approved product
- The name, address or ownership of the organisation holding the approval

Failure to notify such further changes will result in approval being withdrawn.

3. The producer shall ensure that the product is tested for conformity with its formulation, and the source or identity of its raw materials, at such intervals and by such persons, as may be determined by the Authorities. The results of such testing shall be sent to DWI.

4. The use of either the Drinking Water Inspectorate or Defra logos, in respect of any approved product (including on the product or in editorial or advertising/trade copy) is not permitted.

5. The following product specific condition(s) apply – ***The product must be cured for a minimum period of 7 days at a minimum temperature of 3°C***

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State
and the Welsh Ministers

Date of Issue: 20/11/2024
Date of Expiry: 20/11/2029



Marcus Rink
Chief Inspector of Drinking Water
England and Wales

¹ Relevant water suppliers shall include water undertakers, water supply licensees and inset appointees.

² Separate approval arrangements apply in Scotland and Northern Ireland