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Leachables & Extractables for Pharmaceutical Products 2010

14-15 September, London, UK

iSmithers is pleased to announce the third international Leachables & Extractables for Pharmaceutical Products conference taking place in London on 14-15 September 2010.

In a multi-billion dollar industry, quality, safety and the associated credibility, is of utmost importance to pharmaceutical manufacturers and contract manufacturers and with reference to leachables and extractables (L&E) this has implications for the whole polymer supply chain.

The key question raised at the 2009 conference was – **where in the pharmaceutical supply chain does the responsibility for L&E testing lie?**

L&E results from raw material suppliers, processors and converters can only be seen as snapshots into a packaging material as the same material will react differently with different drug products. However, pharmaceutical suppliers are calling for this information, to help them make an informed decision when choosing packaging materials. As this debate continues and questions of harmonising L&E testing for increase comparability are raised – every tier of the pharmaceutical supply chain needs to voice its opinion.

So if you are a participant in this supply chain, and have novel experiences of L&Es, look at the topics that we are inviting presentations on and use this international forum to showcase your knowledge to the industry.

iSmithers

iSmithers evolved from the information division of Smithers Rapra in 2008 after delivering over 30 years of knowledge transfer solutions. As a leading resource for the polymer industry iSmithers serves a global academic and industrial market with rubber and plastic, chemical, pharmaceutical, ecotoxicology and life-science related knowledge and information products and events. iSmithers events regularly bring together technical presentations from world experts in their given subjects and provide access to the latest developments and advancements in the industry. iSmithers events also offer unique promotional opportunities as well as excellent networking possibilities.

iSmithers would particularly welcome papers on:

- L&E implications on raw material suppliers
- Converters role in L&Es
- Drug manufacturers L&E considerations
- L&E testing
- L&E quality control
- L&E impact on medical devices
- Regulatory organisation L&E expectations
- Industry best practice
- N-1, N-2, N-3 case studies

If you are interested in submitting a presentation – send a proposed paper title and short abstract to Alix Reeves at areeves@ismithers.net or fax the details to +44 (0)1939 252416 by the deadline of **19 March 2010**.

Sponsorship and Exhibition

A limited number of high profile cost, effective sponsorship opportunities are available to advertise your company alongside this important event. For more information please go to www.polymerconferences.com or contact the conference department, conferences@ismithers.net Tel +44 (0)1939 250383 Fax +44 (0)1939 252416.

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Abstract Submission - Leachables & Extractables for Pharmaceutical Products 2010

If you would like to present a paper at this event please complete and return this abstract form to the iSmithers Conference department by 19 March 2010. Alternatively please e-mail an outline of your proposed paper to Alix Reeves (areeves@ismithers.net).

You will be allowed 30 minutes for the presentation at the conference which includes approximately 5 minutes for questions. Finished papers must be provided prior to the conference for inclusion in the pre-printed proceedings distributed free to all delegates at the event. The programme consultants will review abstracts submitted and authors will be notified of acceptance by 19 April 2010.

Presenting authors at the conference will be entitled to free registration on both days including lunches, refreshments and a copy of the proceedings.

Title of Paper

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