



## The BACS REACH Seminar 2008 The Manchester Conference Centre

**Manchester Conference Centre, Weston Building, Sackville Street,  
Manchester; tel: 0161 9558000 (*directions attached*)**

**Tuesday 13 May 2008 at 10.30am**

*(Coffee & registration from 9.45am)*

*As with the 2007 REACH Seminar, it is hoped that this meeting will be a two way process involving delegates and speakers. The seminar will start with a Q & A session led by speakers from the Health and Safety Executive (HSE) which will be based on questions on the interpretation and implementation of REACH already raised by BACS members. This session will allow for further questions and discussion on the day. A list of the questions already raised and sent to the HSE will be distributed to delegates well before the seminar. This major session will be followed by presentations on the duties of "Downstream Users", the requirements of and mechanisms for Pre-registration and on the issues around the formation of SIEFs and consortia. The final presentation of the day will be on the European Commission funded collective research project "Toolbox to support Environmental and Sustainable Systems" (TESS), which is focused on developing a tool to help SMEs comply with REACH. BACS is a party in the TESS project and this talk will provide an update on progress and ideas for promotion of the toolbox.*

09:45	Registration and refreshments	
10:30	Welcome, administration and introduction	Phil Clark, Chairman
10:40	Q & A and discussion session based on questions received and including further questions raised on the day	Gary Dougherty & Douglas Grey, HSE
12:10	The duties of 'Downstream Users' in REACH	Gary Dougherty & Douglas Grey, HSE
12:40	Questions and discussion	All
12:45	Cash bar	
13:00	Lunch	
14:00	Pre-registration – requirements and issues	Matt Curl, Technology Sciences (Europe) Ltd
14:30	Questions and discussion	All
14:40	SIEFs – formation and issues	Richard Elsmore, JSC International Ltd
15:10	Questions and discussion	All
15:20	TESS - Support tools for REACH and sustainability	Phil Clark, Lakeland Laboratories Ltd
15:50	Final questions and discussion	All
16:05	Concluding remarks	Phil Clark, Chairman





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