

## Declaration of decontamination for the return of pumps to GATHER Industrie GmbH

Your order no: .....  
Pump model: .....  
Specification / Pump serial no.: .....

A distinction is made between two categories of returns:

- Category A – Products that have **only** come into contact with liquids that are harmless to humans and the environment
- Category B – Products that have come into contact with liquids that require labelling / contain harmful liquids and are therefore hazardous to humans and the environment.

A pump head / a complete pump unit that is returned to the headquarters of GATHER Industrie GmbH will only be accepted by us if



1. the customer declaration according to category A or category B is filled out correctly and completely and is enclosed with the delivery documents.



2. **the pump head has been completely emptied, cleaned or rinsed and finally neutralised with water before being sent in.**

**Category B pump heads have to be sent in disassembled, only.**

Failure to do so will result in costs for the return transport of the hazardous goods, danger to our personnel, unnecessary disposal costs and delays in processing.

**Pump heads/components that have not been rinsed or pump heads without a customer declaration will not be accepted by us and will always be returned to you without any findings, for our relief.**

These guidelines also apply to complaints about new pumps if they have already come into contact with the pumped liquid.



In order to rule out any risk to our staff from toxic, corrosive or harmful liquids of any kind, **we kindly ask you** to adhere to the above guideline. In addition, critical liquids that are present as residue in the pump cannot be neutralised or disposed of properly by us. Furthermore, critical liquids can destroy our test stand.

This document must be completed for each pump head / pump unit!

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**Declaration of decontamination for the return of pumps  
to GATHER Industrie GmbH**

**Category A:**

**Declarations of no objection:**

- 1) ☐ The pump(s) has/have not been operated and/or cleaned with media that are hazardous to humans or the environment and has/have been completely drained, cleaned or rinsed and finally neutralised with water.

Last operating liquid: .....

Cleaning fluid: .....

**Important:**

The pump to be returned can be sent in assembled condition.

- the completed declaration of decontamination **has to be** submitted to GATHER **before** you send in the pump(s)!  
Send us this declaration in advance by e-mail and enclose a copy of the consignment.

Reason for the inspection/repair order:

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We assure you that the above information is correct and complete and that the dispatch is carried out in accordance with the statutory provisions.

Company:

Name:

Department:

Address:

Phone:

E-Mail:

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Place, date

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Company stamp, signature

***If 1) is not confirmed, category B (page 3) has to be filled in***

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**Category B:**

**Declaration of decontamination of pump(s) that have come into contact with or have been cleaned with liquid(s) that require labelling or contain hazardous substances:**

2) ☐ **mandatory field**

The transport by the carrier as well as the acceptance and opening of the return consignment in the receiving departments do **not** require any special protective measures and comply with the statutory provisions.

The pump(s) has/have been disassembled and cleaned in accordance with the instructions.

3) ☐ The operating and cleaning liquid(s) have been removed to such an extent that no further protective measures are required when handling the pump parts.

4) ☐ Environmentally hazardous substances have been removed to such an extent that wash water can be safely discharged into the sewage system.

If 3) is not confirmed, please list the necessary protective measures:

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If 4) is not confirmed, please list required disposal instructions:

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Please note that the disposal costs / hazardous goods transport costs are to be borne by you.

Please note that we are **not** specialised in handling hazardous substances and can only use protective equipment that can be used without a suitability test and without compulsory medical precautions.

Last operating liquid: ..... (Safety data sheet has to be enclosed)

Cleaning fluid: ..... (Safety data sheet has to be enclosed)

Reason for the inspection/repair order:

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**Important:**

- the completed declaration of decontamination **has to be** submitted to GATHER **before** you send in the pump(s)!  
Send us this declaration in advance by e-mail and enclose a copy of the consignment.

- The pump(s) have to be **always** be disassembled before sending them in and the components have to be completely cleaned, neutralised with water and dried.  
→ See repair instructions, disassembly

We assure you that the above information is correct and complete and that the shipment is made in accordance with the statutory provisions.

Company:

Name:

Department:

Address:

Phone:

E-Mail:

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Place, date

Company stamp, signature

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