

## First response Polyscope to report RCS

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On 21 June 2018 the Research Council for Safety (“RCS”) has issued a report regarding – in short – the safety of the industrial complex Chemelot.

Polyscope Polymers B.V. (“Polyscope”) took notice of this report with good interest.

Polyscope wants to emphasize that safety is a priority within her organization, which is also captured in the ambitious and continuously developing Safety, Health and Environment (“SHE”) program.

Polyscope endorses the recommendations of the RCS. Together with other users of the Chemelot site, Polyscope wants to focus on a safety approach that gives substance to the safety ambitions of Chemelot. This in order to reduce the safety risks as much as possible. In consultation with the other users of the Chemelot site Polyscope will look at the form in which substance can be given to the recommendation of a critical and independent factor of checks and balances within the board of Chemelot.

Any form that can contribute to the reduction of safety risks on the Chemelot site is warmly welcomed by Polyscope. Polyscope will immediately start to follow-up on the recommendations of RCS. This way the Chemelot site can, in line with the ambition and vision of Polyscope, grow towards the position of most sustainable and safe site of Western Europe.

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