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Dear Business Partner & Colleagues,

as already announced last February, due to **the worldwide shortage of raw materials, the PVDF** is suffering from an **unprecedented crisis of availability and cost variability** that consequently also impacts on those who transform the compound; moreover, supply is made even more difficult by the worsening crisis in the transport sector, which affects the entire supply chain.

Despite the commitment of the Aliaxis Group to guarantee its plants the supply of material through high-level qualified Partners, we are forced to apply **a further increase on the price lists in force equal to 30%**, which will be **effective from 19/04**.

The lead time will be **25 weeks from the date of the order** and, given the impossibility of compensating for the fluctuations received from the suppliers with considerable frequency and in an uneven manner, Aliaxis Italia reserves the right to communicate any changes and / or cancellations of the order on the basis of the actual availability of the material or unexpected increases by the suppliers, which, in no case, will be reversed on the orders in place without prior agreement of both parties.

With the aim of **continuing to provide materials and solutions for ongoing projects**, we guarantee our availability to find together **possible alternatives** suitable for each application.

For any further information our Technical Support remains available at technical.fip@alixis.com.

Best regards,

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