

International Regulatory Information Systems and the Independent Beauty Association Join Forces to Introduce a Revolutionary International Regulatory Ingredient Database

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Raleigh, North Carolina, Sep. 21st, 2023 – International Regulatory Information Systems, Inc. (IRI-Sys), an innovator in global regulatory solutions for the cosmetics and personal care industry, is excited to announce a new partnership with the Independent Beauty Association (IBA) to launch **IRI-INDEX**, the powerful, game-changing international regulatory ingredient database for the beauty industry. This cutting-edge database blends basic raw material data with the regulations from 70+ countries and the requirements of 6 US retailer clean lists.

The IRI-INDEX sets a new industry standard by consolidating critical regulatory information into a single click, user-friendly platform. It empowers cosmetic companies to navigate the complex international regulatory landscape efficiently while ensuring compliance with diverse regional requirements.

Key features

Ingredient Information: Access basic ingredient details, including INCI names, trivial names, Chemical Abstract Service (CAS) and European Commission (EC) numbers, function(s), description, and a unique A.I. ingredient tool.

Regulatory Compliance: Review an ingredient against the regulations of 70+ countries and 6 US retailer clean lists. This unique feature enables companies to understand how their ingredients align with various international standards at one glance. Additional countries and clean lists from non-US retailers will be added throughout 2023.

Real-time Updates: A dedicated network of native speakers, chemical professionals, and regulatory experts monitors and updates the database on a weekly basis. Users receive timely information about changes in regulations, ensuring compliance with evolving international standards.

A.I.-Powered Ingredient Tool: The IRI-INDEX is enhanced with an advanced A.I.-powered tool that revolutionizes the ingredient selection process. This cutting-edge technology analyzes ingredient data and regulations to provide users with intelligent recommendations for ingredients and alternative ingredient selection. Users can also access quick descriptions of ingredients, facilitating informed decision-making and accelerating formulation processes. This is one of many features deployed by IRI-Sys to stay at the forefront of technological innovation and drive efficiency in the beauty industry.

"We are delighted to partner with the Independent Beauty Association in unveiling the International Regulatory Ingredient Encyclopedia (IRI-INDEX)," said Karen Yarussi, Co-Founder at IRI-Sys. "This software is the missing compliance piece, offering companies an unparalleled resource to navigate international regulations quickly, easily and efficiently. The IRI-INDEX's cross-referencing capabilities and comprehensive coverage of 70+ markets provide users with a competitive edge, enabling them to make informed decisions and ensure compliance across the globe. It is like having the experience of a seasoned regulatory department with a single click."

The International Regulatory Ingredient Database (IRI-INDEX) is now available for subscription. To learn more about the database and how it can transform your regulatory processes, please visit www.IRI-Sys.com/IBA.html.

IRI-Sys also provides a convenient formula management tool (IRI-FM). With one click, clients can generate customized ingredient lists, regulatory reviews, formula sheets, registration sheets and a comprehensive overview report that provides detailed information on the raw materials in a formula including compositional breakdowns, various certifications (Halal, Kosher, COSMOS, free of), country of origin, impurities, and source materials.

This user-friendly tool streamlines the regulatory review process, allowing companies to ensure international compliance efficiently and effortlessly. Visit www.IRI-Sys.com/IRI_FM.html for more.

About IRI-Sys: IRI-Sys is an innovative provider of regulatory solutions for the beauty and personal care industry. With its state-of-the-art technology and expertise, IRI-Sys empowers companies to navigate the complex global regulatory landscape and ensure compliance with international standards. For more information, visit www.IRI-Sys.com/about.html.

About Independent Beauty Association: The Independent Beauty Association (IBA) is a trade association dedicated to fostering the success of entrepreneurial companies in the independent cosmetic and personal care industries by promoting the highest legal and regulatory standards, environmental sustainability, and ethical business practices. IBA advocates for its members by providing resources, education, and networking opportunities to foster growth and success within the industry. For more information, visit www.independentbeauty.org.

Media Contacts:

Florian Zajic
IRI-Sys
+1 (860) 506-5177
office@IRI-Sys.com

Stormy Lyons
IBA
+1 (469) 676-1133
slyons@independentbeauty.org