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## Arkema's *Rilsan*<sup>®</sup> powders are attending *Aquatech* exhibition in Amsterdam with Viking Johnson

From 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> of November, *Rilsan*<sup>®</sup> fine powders are exhibiting jointly with Viking Johnson (stand 317, Hall 1) at *Aquatech*, the world's leading trade exhibition on process, drinking and waste water technology.

Arkema's *Rilsan*<sup>®</sup> powder coatings have been used since 1967 in the water industry for coating pipes, pumps, valves and fittings. It is a unique high performance polyamide manufactured from a renewable resource of plant origin. *Rilsan*<sup>®</sup>-coated carbon steel is also a cost-effective and technical alternative to stainless steel providing protection and longevity in the most demanding environment. It is produced with less energy and carbon dioxide emissions, reducing the plant's environmental footprint. *Rilsan*<sup>®</sup>-coated parts withstand extreme abrasive medium, the coating provides excellent protection against corrosion and mechanical impacts, and it complies with various regulations for drinking water.

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Viking Johnson will be also demonstrating its enhanced large diameter products, particularly Next Generation UltraGrip in sizes up to DN400. A selection of mechanical couplings, flange adaptors, pipe repair products and flow control solutions will also be displayed. The stand will also showcase the recent investment in the large diameter products factory at Hitchin, UK.

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*A global chemical company and France's leading chemicals producer, Arkema is building the future of the chemical industry every day. Deploying a responsible, innovation-based approach, we produce state-of-the-art specialty chemicals that provide customers with practical solutions to such challenges as climate change, access to drinking water, the future of energy, fossil fuel preservation and the need for lighter materials. With operations in more than 40 countries, 15,700 employees and 9 research centers, Arkema generated annual revenue of €5.9 billion in 2010, and holds leadership positions in all its markets with a portfolio of internationally recognized brands. The world is our inspiration.*

*Viking Johnson is a leading brand of Crane Building Services & Utilities and manufactures pipe connections, repair and flow control products for the water & wastewater industry.*

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