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### Labelling system in Russia/EAEU – Textile Pilot Project

📄 **Summary:** Regarding the new labelling system in Russia/EAEU, we received some answers from the Russian operator on how the system will apply (annex 1). In end of April 2019, Russia approved and published the Decree related to this new labelling system (annex 2).

Moreover, the Russian authorities started recently a **Textile Pilot Project** in order to train the participants and test the system together. This pilot project will be running until end of November 2019 and participants for the moment include importers, domestic producers and retail outlets. **Should members/companies have interest in taking part of this Pilot Project, let us know at your best convenience.**

EURATEX keeps pushing the EU Commission to tackle this important trade barrier. The Commission keeps addressing this issue with the Russian government and also at the WTO level, whereas Russia still did not notify the corresponding Regulation yet.