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Subject: Changes to Sterling® Premium Folio, OptiLabel™ C1S and OptiLitho™ C1S product lines

Dear Customer:

Due to an ongoing force majeure being enforced by our plastic pigment supplier, Verso is making necessary immediate changes to our product lineup.

Effective immediately, Verso is placing a temporary moratorium on Sterling® Premium products. This includes all folio basis weights and finishes. Current orders already confirmed will be honored to the best of our ability. Availability of inventory will be subject to allocation as we make this difficult transition. Your Sales professional will contact you with more specifics.

Effective immediately, plastic pigment used in the production of OptiLabel™ C1S and OptiLitho™ C1S will be limited. As a result, we must communicate this notification of change to product recipe and/or specifications. Plastic pigment is a minor component used in these products, and it is our belief that this necessary change will have a minimal effect on our final product. Our sales and technical teams will discuss the effects and timing of these changes with you in more detail as soon as possible.

Verso is committed to maintaining a broad and robust raw material supply chain and we apologize for the inconvenience of these changes. We will continue to work to create other options and will notify you of improvements in the situation as they occur.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Aaron Haas'.

Aaron Haas