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Choosing the Right Chemical Blender for Your Water Treatment Business

When requiring chemical blending services, you must have the proper manufacturing partner to succeed. QualiChem, as a non-direct sales formulating manufacturer, certainly offers a lot of value to the regional water treatment business owner with the wealth of services and support offered.

TOLL BLENDERS

Business Model

Low-cost manufacturing with limited support staff and extremely low overhead.

Formulating Expertise

Extremely limited formulating expertise.

New Product R&D

Not performed by this type of company.

Performance Accountability

No responsibility for the performance of the product in the field is assumed by the blender.

Sales & Technical Support

No technical support. Staff is usually not versed in specific industry and application knowledge.

What This Means to You A low-cost blended product without support.

DIRECT/INDIRECT SALES FORMULATING MANUFACTURER

Business Model

Utilizes non-direct business to increase purchasing leverage on raw materials. In-house product line is limited to avoid conflict with direct sales technology.

Formulating Expertise

Limited sales and technical support due to focus on direct sales efforts.

New Product R&D

New and unique technology is delayed or eliminated for non-manufacturing companies.

Performance Accountability

Limited performance accountability with resources directed to higher-profit businesses.

Sales & Technical Support

Limited by direct sales efforts with a focus on avoiding conflicts between direct and indirect business.

What This Means to You

A blended product with limited support and the potential for competition with the direct sales arm of the contracted blender.

NON-DIRECT SALES FORMULATING MANUFACTURER

Business Model

Lower cost manufacturing with technical support and other resources. In-house product line represents the latest technology that is made available for all customers.

Formulating Expertise

Maintains in-house experts in water treatment formulating and applications.

New Product R&D

In-house product line that represents the latest technology.

Performance Accountability

Accountable for product performance for all formulations.

Sales & Technical Support

High level of technical support. Specifically designed for non-manufacturing water treatment companies.

What This Means to You

A quality blended product with your branding and focused support to help you achieve your goals.

At QualiChem, <u>The Blender Matters</u>.

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