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## **PRESS RELEASE**

# "The PVC Window as a sustainable Construction Product": New Sustainability Brochure for Window Manufacturers and their Customers is published at the FENSTERBAU FRONTALE

Bonn/Nuremberg, 21 January 2020: The Qualitätsverband Kunststofferzeugnisse (Quality Association for Plastic Products; QKE), the RAL Gütegemeinschaft Kunststoff-Fensterprofilsysteme (RAL Quality Association for PVC Window Profile Systems; GKFP) and EPPA (European PVC Window Profile and related Building Products Association) publish its first magazine on "PVC windows as sustainable building products". The brochure is published for the Fensterbau Frontale and is intended to appeal to window manufacturers, but above all to end consumers.

Thereby, the three associations offer a fact-based information brochure on the topic of sustainable PVC windows, which window manufacturers can use in their end-user approach.

## This is how the reader can recognise sustainable PVC windows

The magazine is published in four language versions, in addition to German and English, also in French and Polish. The readers are introduced to the five central criteria for a sustainable building product PVC window, such as the RAL quality assurance and the VinylPlus® Product Label. The 16-page brochure also contains important information on the environmental impact of PVC windows, eco-design and the importance of recycling.

The magazine will be on display during the Fensterbau Frontale at the EPPA and GKFP joint booth in hall 3A (booth 3A-435) and will be available for free download as a PDF file from the EPPA, QKE and GKFP websites from March onwards. Printed copies can be ordered via the Gütegemeinschaft (info@gkfp.de).

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The RAL Gütegemeinschaft Kunststoff-Fensterprofilsysteme e.V. (Quality Association for PVC Window Profile Systems) (GKFP) awards the RAL Quality Mark to member companies that fulfil the rules of the RAL-GZ 716 quality and test specifications. The aim is to comply with the highest quality requirements in order to ensure that the products manufactured are suitable for long-term use. The members of the association consist of system houses, manufacturers of seals, raw materials, foils, adhesive systems, seals and machines as well as contract laminators.





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