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SALTS**

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consumption - Antiscalants for membranes - Phosphonic acids
and salts**

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destiné à la consommation humaine - Produits antitartres
pour membranes - Acides phosphoniques et sels

Produkte zur Aufbereitung von Wasser für den
menschlichen Gebrauch - Antiscalants für Membranen -
Phosphonsäuren und deren Salze

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Foreword

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Introduction

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- b) it should be noted that, while awaiting the adoption of verifiable European criteria, existing national regulations concerning the use and/or the characteristics of these products remain in force.

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