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Customer information for not flame-retardant polyurethane (PUR) products: California Proposition 65 list (DD Mar 19, 2021)

To whom it may concern,

Proposition 65, officially known as the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986, was enacted as a ballot initiative in November 1986. The proposition protects the state's drinking water sources from being contaminated with chemicals known to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm, and requires businesses to inform Californians about exposures to such chemicals. https://oehha.ca.gov/proposition-65

Based on this, we would like to inform you, that some of our PUR products contain, respectively are made with substances, that are listed in the California Proposition 65 list (DD Mar 19, 2021). We refer to:

Ethylene glycol, CAS# 107-21-1, Diethanolamine, CAS# 111-42-2, Toluene diisocyanate, CAS# 26471-62-5, 2,4-Diaminotoluene, CAS# 95-80-7.

All listed substances are chemically bonded in the PUR foam product. According to the current state of knowledge, we expect at most only traces in the cured polyurethane foam after the chemical reaction is completed as intended within the specified conditions. Under normal circumstances, the exposure thresholds per Cal Prop 65 list for those chemicals cannot be exceeded by a cured PUR foam.

Other than that, the above-mentioned companies do not use any other of the limited materials per Cal Prop 65 intentionally for the manufacture and processing of their PUR products.

The above-mentioned companies cannot provide any guarantee regarding impurities or contamination of raw materials or downstream processes that are beyond their control.

This declaration ceases to be valid on 31 Dec 2023 or with introduction of a new California Proposition 65 list.

We are always happy to answer your questions, to provide further information or to perform an assessment on our flame-retardant products.

Kind regards,

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