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RE: CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65 COMPLIANCE

Dear Valued Customer:

Proposition 65 became law in California in November 1986 under the official name of Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986. Proposition 65 prohibits California businesses from knowingly discharging significant amounts of listed chemicals into sources of drinking water.

The law also requires businesses to provide warnings to Californians about significant exposures to chemicals that cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm. These chemicals can be in the products that Californians purchase, in their homes or workplaces, or that are released into the environment.

By law, a warning must be given for listed chemicals used in manufacturing, construction, including pesticides, food, drugs, dyes or solvents unless the exposure is low enough to pose no significant risk of cancer or is significantly below levels observed to cause birth defects or reproductive harm.

The chemicals which are alloyed into the materials EFINEA distributes are in a physiological inert and stable phase based on data from our suppliers. Therefore, should be considered non-hazardous. Certain fabrication or welding process may result in the emission of chemical substances that could potentially hazardous. Since EFINEA has no control or supervision of our material's downstream processing, we can only urge our customers to make their own assessment as to the potential hazards produced by their selected fabrication and alterations to the metals and alloys we supply.

Regards,

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