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Declaration of Conformity - CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65

Dear Valued Customer,

This declaration is to inform ITW Pro Brands customers that some products produced by ITW Pro Brands contain chemicals which are listed on California's Safe Drinking Water & Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (aka Proposition 65). Proposition 65 is a California law that applies to products sold in California. Proposition 65 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 requiring that this information be provided, Proposition 65 enables Californians to make informed decisions about their exposures to these chemicals.

A Proposition 65 warning means one of two things: (1) the business has evaluated the exposure and has concluded that it exceeds the "no significant risk level"; or (2) the business has chosen to provide a warning simply based on its knowledge about the presence of a listed chemical without attempting to evaluate the exposure.

ITW Pro Brands has chosen to provide a warning for affected products based on its knowledge about the presence of one or more listed chemicals. ITW Pro Brands intends to comply with the new "clear and reasonable" warning requirements that become effective August 31, 2018. Products marketed or sold by ITW Pro Brands may contain listed chemicals at levels that are below the Proposition 65 level of concern, or could even be zero.

For more information regarding California Proposition 65, please visit: <http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov>

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