

## **Declaration Proposition 65. Piher Sensors and Controls S.A.**

(California law for Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986)

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## **Background:**

Proposition 65 (Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986) is a law from the State of California which that requires business to provide warnings to Californians if their products are containing chemical substances included in the Prop65 list, as considered by the state of California as chemicals required to control since can cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

Detailed information about this list and regulation is available in the following links:

https://oehha.ca.gov/proposition-65/proposition-65-listv / www.P65Warnings.ca.gov/product.

## **Declaration:**

In compliance to Prop 65 requirements, Piher Sensors & Controls SA has created current declaration despite there is **not** caused an exposure to the referred substances over the levels defined as relevant risk of harm.

Piher remarks that our articles are **not containing any substance in liquid state**, nevertheless our products are manufactured with one or more substances included in the Prop 65 list of California (this list is currently including more than 900 products). Last update: **January 2023**.

PIHER S & C S.A., through the analysis of their materials and the gathering of information from our suppliers, has identified products requiring a warning when delivered to California since are containing the following substances included in the Prop 65 list:

- <u>Carbon black</u> (airborne, unbound particles of respirable size) and <u>antimony oxide</u> (only in carbon potentiometers), and <u>Lead and lead compounds</u> (only in cermet potentiometers): Under normal conditions of use of Piher products there is not possible an exposition to these substances in extent able to cause a relevant risk, since is bound within a mixing contained in a polymer (carbon potentiometers) or glass matrix compound (cermet potentiometers) inside the component, the referred substance cannot be separated from the product during normal use neither during the scrap of the component at the end of its life, even if it is destroyed by grinding processes.
- <u>Nickel (Metallic)</u>, contained in some metallic parts of the products. In normal conditions there is not possible than the final user is accessing to the metallic parts since our products are Electronic components intended to be assembled inside the final applications, not allowing direct access.

Piher products are not destinated to be used in direct and extended contact with the skin. The disposition of nickel in Piher products is not causing exposure to Nickel smokes able to produce Cancer.

Piher wants to remark than current declaration is **not** meaning that Piher products may cause cancer or harm, neither meaning the non-compliance with any safety standard, on the contrary, it is intended to comply to the access to information required by the State of California.

Should you have any further questions, please contact +34 948 820450 at your convenience.

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