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## **Declaration**

## Non-use of PFAS

Perfluorinated and polyfluorinated alkyl compounds, short PFAS, are a group of chemicals that includes perfluoroctanoic acid (PFOA), perfluoroctanesulfonic acid (PFOS), perfluoronanoic acid (PFNA), perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS), C9-C14 perfluorocarboxylic acids (PFCAs) and hundreds of other substances. The best known are PFOS and PFOA. Use and application of these substances are regulated worldwide, e.g. by RoHS in Europe.

SCHURTER confirms that none of its products contain PFAS. In addition, SCHURTER does not employ PFAS in materials, production processes, or packaging.

Based on our current knowledge, our raw material suppliers do not use Perfluoroalkyl and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) in the manufacture of their products. We do not routinely analyze our resins for the above substances but base our assessment on confirmations from our suppliers.

SCHURTER AG is renowned for its commitment to environmental protection – as early as in 1996, we were among the first companies to receive the certification for our environmental management system according to ISO14001. We periodically issue SCHURTER Sustainability Reports, which document our activities in the field of economic, social, and ecological management. The latest report is available on our web site <a href="https://www.schurter.com">www.schurter.com</a>

Yours sincerely

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