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California Proposition 65

Proposition 65 (or Prop 65), officially known as the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986, was enacted as a ballot initiative in California (USA) in November 1986. Proposition 65 is intended to enable Californians to make informed decisions about their exposures to chemicals in products they purchase, in their homes or workplaces and in the environment largely by requiring businesses to provide warnings about significant exposures to designated chemicals.

Proposition 65 requires the state of California to maintain a list of chemicals recognized by the State of California as possibly causing cancer or reproductive toxicity. This list, which is updated at least once a year, has grown to include approximately 900 chemicals since it was first published in 1987.

TE Connectivity relies on declarations from our suppliers to determine if Prop 65 chemicals are present in our components and raw materials. Utilizing these supplier inputs, TE can, upon customer request, provide a listing of any Prop 65 chemicals present in our products. Contact productcompliance@te.com.

TE Connectivity is a global business-to-business manufacturer of electrical and electronic connectivity solutions. While our products may be available for sale online or via other sales outlets, our products when used as intended should not intentionally release any Prop 65 chemicals. In those cases where TE determines that our product could expose a consumer in California to a Prop 65 chemical above the safe harbor levels, TE will provide an appropriate Prop 65 warning. Given the broad range of applications in which TE’s products can be used, customers should evaluate the environment in which they intend to deploy or utilize TE products and make their own determination regarding their obligations under Prop 65 to employees, consumers or other individuals in California.

As the global leader in connectivity and sensor solutions, TE Connectivity routinely makes acquisitions and divestitures to build and optimize our offerings for our customers. As a result, integration and divestment activities are a normal part of our operations. From a product compliance perspective, this dynamic means that certain TE parts may not yet be integrated into our systems or customer facing outputs. Accordingly, to the extent you seek a certification or other information with respect to a specific TE part or population of parts, bear in mind that parts from acquired entities may not yet be reflected in TE’s product compliance outputs. To the extent you have any concerns in this regard, please do not hesitate to seek confirmation from your TE contact.

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