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Declaration on Directive 2011/65/EU resp. 2015/863/EU (RoHS)

Dear customers

The Directives 2011/65/EU and 2015/863/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the restriction of the use of hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment regulate requirements for harmful substances in electrical and electronic equipment.

Accordingly, no more articles may be imported into the European Community or traded in the EC that do not comply with these requirements. Based on the information available to us from our suppliers, we confirm compliance with the directives according to 2011/65/ EU and 2015/863/EU. For sales products that are subject under the RoHS Directive, RoHS conformity is confirmed with the EU Declaration of Conformity.

The following elements are not contained or only contained in very small quantities (0.1 % - 0.01 % for cadmium - weight percent based on homogeneous materials) according to Annex II of the directive:

- Cadmium,
- mercury,
- Hexavalent chromium (Cr6+),
- Polybrominated biphenyls (PBB),
- Polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDE),
- Diphthalate (DEHP),
- Butyl benzyl phthalate (BBP),
- Dibutyl phthalate (DBP),
- diisobutyl phthalate (DIBP)

Annex III of the RoHS Directive defines uses excluded from the restriction of Article 4, paragraph 1. Among others, the use of lead as an alloying element is permitted with the following maximum concentration values:

- 6a: 0.35% by weight for lead as an alloying element in steel.
- 6b: 0.40% by weight for lead as an alloying element in aluminium
- 6c: 4.00% by weight for lead as an alloying element in copper.

Annex IV of the RoHS Directive defines uses exempted from restriction under Article 4(1) in relation to medical devices and monitoring and control instruments. For this purpose, the exemptions are:

- 1a. Lead and cadmium in ion-selective electrodes, including glass of pH electrodes.
- 1b. Lead anodes in electrochemical oxygen sensors

The RoHS conformity of our products includes the application of applicable exemptions of Annex III as well as Annex IV of the EU Directive 2011/65/EU. For our products, mainly the exemptions 6a, 6b and 6c, as well as 1a and 1b are applied.

Irrespective of the validity of the RoHS Directive for our products, we declare to our knowledge and against the background of the information provided by our suppliers that the products placed on the market by GHM Messtechnik GmbH do not contain any substances in concentration and application that are prohibited according to the applicable requirements of the EU Directive 2011/65/EU and its amendments, including the Delegated Directive (EU) 2015/863.

With regard to compliance with the requirements arising from Directives 2012/19/EU (WEEE) and 2011/65/EU, we can confirm that our products are assigned to category 9 (monitoring and control instruments) according to Annex IA of the WEEE Directive.

Please understand that due to the very high number of enquiries we receive, we are not able to fill in specific questionnaires.

However, we hope that this letter contains the information you requested and thank you for your confidence and the good cooperation.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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