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To Whom it May Concern,

The European Union regulation (2002/95/EC) regarding the Directive on the Restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment (RoHS) was adopted in February 2003 by the European Union. The original regulation took effect on 1 July 2006 and restricts the use of six hazardous materials in the manufacture of certain types of electronic and electrical equipment.

This regulation is commonly referred to as RoHS and periodically undergoes revision to add new chemicals to the Restricted List or exemptions for certain applications. The Directive is currently on the third revision, codified under EU Directive 2015/863. This update revised the second version of the Directive codified in 2011 under EU/2011/65. This current directive is commonly called RoHS 3. The current official legal text of the RoHS 3 Directive may be found at:
http://data.europa.eu/eli/dir_del/2015/863/oj

This current version of RoHS 3 adds four new chemicals to the original six chemicals restricted under the directive (heavy metals and brominated flame retardants). All four new chemicals are phthalates typically used as plasticizers in plastic articles. The maximum permitted concentration in non-exempt products is 0.1% (1000 ppm) for all restricted chemicals except cadmium which is more tightly controlled at 0.01% (100 ppm). A complete list of the chemicals restricted under RoHS 3 may be examined at www.rohsguide.com

Polyonics declares that all products produced by Polyonics at our Westmoreland NH facility are compliant with EU/2015/863 . We do not intentionally add any of the 10 chemicals restricted by the current version of the regulation. Our compliance declaration is based on Subject Matter Expert review of our bills of material, supplier documentation of compliance, and periodic supply chain surveys. It is important to note that Polyonics does not comprehensively test all products for all chemicals regulated under the directive, as this would not be practical or economically feasible.

As such, we remind customers that the final responsibility for compliance to the Directive is the responsibility of the importer of the final article into the European Union. Should you have any questions regarding this RoHS 3 Declaration of Compliance, you may email us at regulatory@polyonics.com or contact us at 603-352-1415.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rich Randall".

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