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RoHS 2 - Directive 2011/65/EU

RoHS 3 - Delegated Directive 2015/863 amending Annex II to Directive 2011/65/EU as regards the list of restricted substances

Dear Valued Customer,

We would like to reassure you that Arrow is continuously surveying and collecting the necessary information by approaching its Suppliers to evaluate any changes in the status of their parts against any change to RoHS regulations and exemptions. Arrow is proactively monitoring provisions of Directive 2011/65/EU and revision of Annexes in order to provide necessary information in the Supply Chain comfortably and in time to ensure proper management of Environmental Compliance.

Arrow is fully aware of the Commission Delegated Directive 2015/863 that has amended Annex II of Directive 2011/65/EU and has added four additional substances to the restricted substances list. Arrow is already working with original product Manufacturers to monitor implementation of new requirements with the aim to conform ahead of the legal implementation date. The restrictions of these substances in homogeneous materials of Electrical and Electronic Equipment (EEE) will apply starting July, 22nd 2019.

ROHS compliance status is updated on a continual basis following the receipt of changes notified by the relevant original product Manufacturers and we will endeavor to make available such compliance status on business documentation provided to our valued Customers. Arrow will endeavor to advise our valued Customers of any such changes which we are notified by Manufacturers to ensure that information about compliance status of products in the scope of RoHS is maintained up to date.

In light of the fact that we are solely a distributor, we have no direct knowledge of the composition of the components we supply to you, nor do we have direct knowledge of the substances that were used in the manufacturing processes so we can only assure that all information made available from Suppliers will be provided to our Customers. Please note that any information given relating to RoHS status of any product is based upon information provided by the respective Manufacturer. Arrow is not authorized to, and does not, make any representation with regard to these matters. The data is passed on in good faith and is given without any responsibility or liability. It is the user's responsibility to verify any information with the Manufacturer. Considering the complexity of the issue and the high number of products and manufacturers, we count on Customers to understand that we cannot answer customer-specific questionnaires nor sign any general and comprehensive statement on behalf of our Suppliers especially if exceeding regulatory requirements.

If we can assist further please do not hesitate to direct your query through your normal sales contact. We thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,

Arrow Central Europe GmbH

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