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To whom it may concern!

European Directive 2002/95/EC (RoHS), amendments until today and Directive 2011/65/EC:

We confirm:

Our thermoplastic resins of product-lines

Durethan[®] and Pocan[®]

comply with the requirements of EU Directive **2002/95/EC** and its successor **2011/65/EC** on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment ("RoHS-Directive"), incl. amendments until today (last one **2010/571/EC**).

Common Decision 2005/618/EC of 18 August 2005 is amending Annex of Directive 2002/95/EC for the purpose of establishing the maximum concentration values for certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment. Hence a maximum concentration value in homogeneous materials of 0,1 % by weight for lead, mercury, hexavalent chromium, polybrominated biphenyls (PBB) and polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDE) and of 0,01 % by weight for cadmium shall be tolerated.

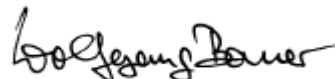
Compounds of cadmium, lead, mercury and hexavalent chromium, flame retardants PBB and PBDE [incl. **Deca-BDE**] have **not** been intentionally added for the production of our thermoplastic resins and are **not** present with the exception of technically unavoidable traces far below the tolerated maximum concentration values.

EU Directive **2002/96/EC** on waste electrical and electronic equipment ("WEEE-Directive") is regulating the recovery and disposal of waste electrical and electronic equipment. Therefore the compliance with this directive has to be confirmed by the manufacturer of the final parts.

Some of our Pocan and Durethan types contain non-regulated halogenated flame retardants. We would like to point out that for parts made of these materials identification is required according to attachment II to enable a selective treatment.

Yours sincerely,

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