



## RoHS 2 Certificate of Compliance - OEM Division

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Dear Valued Customer,

The Southwire Company and our key suppliers support the European Union Directive 2011/65/EU (RoHS 2) that restrict the use of certain hazardous substances in the design and manufacture of Electrical and Electronic Equipment.

The substances currently regulated by the RoHS 2 Directive are listed below:

- Lead (Pb) - 0.1% by weight
- Mercury (Hg) - 0.1% by weight
- Cadmium (Cd) - 0.01% by weight
- Hexavalent chromium (Cr(VI)) - 0.1% by weight
- Polybrominated biphenyl (PBB) flame retardants- 0.1% by weight
- Polybrominated diphenyl ether (PBDE) flame retardants (including Deca-BDE) -0.1% by weight

To the best of our knowledge, Southwire OEM products are not intentionally manufactured or formulated with substances exceeding the above threshold limit and are in compliance except for the product types listed below:

#### Product Categories Awaiting Compliance

- Super Excelene® UL listed Welding Cable
- RG-62 Coaxial Cable
- Stage Lighting Cable (single layer only)

In 2015, RoHS legislation amended annex II of Directive 2011/65/EU which added 4 phthalates to the restricted substances list:

- Bis(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP)- 0.1 % by weight
- Benzyl butyl phthalate (BBP)- 0.1 % by weight
- Dibutyl phthalate (DBP)- 0.1 % by weight
- Diisobutyl Phthalate (DIBP)- 0.1% by weight

Southwire is currently assessing the materials in our supply chain to work towards compliance by the July 22, 2019 deadline. A Certificate of Compliance will be issued in the July 2019 timeframe.

When appropriate the CE mark will be used as confirmation that the products meet the RoHS 2 Directive.

Compliance is determined from information and sources which Southwire believes are reliable.

Product users are responsible for determining the applicability of RoHS 2 and other related environmental regulations based on their individual usage of the final product.

Should you have further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Regards,

  
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