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**Directive 2011/65/EC, Amended with Directive (EU) 2015/863**  
**Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS 2) with 4 phthalate substances**  
**Declaration of Compliance**

The European Union Directive 2011/65/EC, Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS 2) legislation restricts the use of certain substances in electrical and electronic equipment (EEE). This directive applies to all electrical and electronic products and their components currently placed on the European market except for stated exemption categories. On June 4, 2015, the EU Commission published new Directive (EU) 2015/863, which adds four (4) phthalate substances to the list of six (6) already in RoHS 2, resulting in what is being referred to as RoHS 3. These phthalates, primarily used in the production of polyvinyl chloride (PVC), will be restricted from use starting July 22, 2019 from most EEE. All products produced by WEG Electric Corporation conform to the following maximum concentration limits of this directive as shown below.

Cadmium 0.01%  
Hexavalent Chromium 0.1%  
Lead 0.1%  
Mercury 0.1%

Polybrominated Biphenyls (PBBs) 0.1%  
Polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDE) 0.1%  
Bis(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP) 0.1%  
Butyl benzyl phthalate (BBP) 0.1%  
Dibutyl phthalate (DBP) 0.1%  
Diisobutyl phthalate (DIBP) 0.1%

WEG Electric Corporation has taken reasonable steps to ensure that all products do not contain the six (6) original substances and the four (4) additional substances. These measures include the requirement of a certification statement or declaration from all chemical raw material suppliers or distributors stating that none of these substances in excess of 0.1% (1000 ppm) or cadmium in excess of 0.01%, are added to, or known to be present in component raw materials. These records will support our position that products made from these raw materials conform to this directive.

Sincerely,

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