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**For the attention of the customers of  
Würth Industrie Service GmbH & Co. KG**

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## EU Directive

Dear Sir or Madam,

Since several years various EU directives have been passed regulating the use of substances. These directives are 2011/65/EU (RoHS), 2015/863, China RoHS, 2000/53/EC (end-of-life vehicles) and 2003/11/EC (use of certain dangerous substances and preparations). Only a small part of our products in the DIN and standard parts range is affected by these directives. Among these products are fasteners with yellow or black chromate coats which contain a low percentage of chromium VI and whose use is therefore restricted. We can also confirm that our chemical products comply with the laws and regulations currently applicable in the EU and its member states such as the REACH and PAK regulations, the German Chemicals Prohibition Ordinance (ChemVerbotsV), the German Chemicals Act (ChemG), the German Hazardous Substances Ordinance (GefStoffV), the German Administrative Regulation on the Classification of Substances Hazardous to Waters into Water Hazard Classes (VwVwS) or the Commission Decision published in the Official Journal of the European Union 2009/251/EC concerning the use of dimethyl fulmarate (DMF). The same applies to the Biocidal Products Directive, the Detergent Regulation as well as to the German ordinance on solvent-based varnishes and glazes (ChemVOCFarbV). The Technical Rules for Hazardous Substances (TRGS) are also taken into account, particularly the TRGS 900 (exposure limit values/classifications/reasons). To meet these legal requirements, we do not only ensure none of the prohibited substances are used, we also document our compliance with the applicable laws in the EC safety data sheets. These data sheets correspond to the latest directives such as Regulation EC No. 1907/2006, 1999/45/EC (Dangerous Preparations Directive) and 67/548/EEC (Dangerous Substances Directive). We do the same in the field of transportation (ADR, IMDG Code, and IATA). The latest legal changes are documented and put into practice. Our products also comply with the California Proposition 65 "Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act", and the EU-POP Regulation 2019/1021.

We hope you find our comments helpful

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Kind regards,  
Würth Industrie Service GmbH & Co. KG



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