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C E R T I F I C A T I O N

The member states of the European Union (EU) have adopted the following marketplace directives concerning hazardous materials:

- Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS) - EU Directive 2002/95/EC
- Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) – EU Directive 2002/96/EC
- End-of-Life Vehicles (ELV) – EU Directive 2000/53/EC
- Brominated Flame Retardants (BFR) – EU Directive 2003/11/EC

The intent of these directives is two-fold. First, to restrict the use of hazardous substances. Second, to determine how electrical and electronic components are to be recycled at the end of their useful life. The common linkage between these directives is the restricting of Lead, Mercury, Cadmium, Hexavalent Chromium, Polybrominated Biphenyls (PBB's) and Polybrominated Diphenylethers (PBDE's) in all electrical and electronic equipment. Threshold limits for these materials have been established at 1,000ppm with the exception of Cadmium at 100ppm.

One of the goals of the RoHS directive is to establish the appropriate linkage throughout the supply chain. No "link" in the supply chain is exempt from providing material declarations to their immediate downstream product recipient. This means raw material suppliers, manufacturers, fabricators, as well as distributors are all implicated in this process. The RoHS directive working in concert with WEEE and ELV directives completes a "cradle-to-grave" material linkage throughout the supply chain. Harbour has concentrated on becoming RoHS compliant since it primarily focuses on the "beginning of life" materials for electrical and electronic products. Therefore, by complying with the RoHS directive, all EU "end of life" directives are then satisfied.

Harbour Industries, Inc. is committed to complying with the international "green" initiatives designed to protect human health. We have now become a functional link in the supply chain and are pleased to certify the products we manufacture are in compliance with the RoHS, WEEE, ELV and BFR directives.

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