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Dear Valued Customer,

With respect to CD 2005/618/EC for Directive 2002/95/EC of European Parliament and of the Council of 27 January 2003 on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment and to the Commission Decision of 27 June 2002 amending Annex II of Directive 2000/53/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on end-of-life vehicles, Niagara LaSalle Corporation issues the following statement:

With the exception of lead in certain steel grades where lead is intentionally added as an alloying element, Niagara LaSalle Corporation confirms that our products do not contain any of the restricted substances above the currently proposed general limits.

Lead in the referenced steel grades will exceed the 0.1% by weight general limit, but will, however, meet the Annex limit of 0.35% by weight maximum content for “lead as an alloying element in steel.” (Such steel grades are commonly identified by the letter “L” following the second numeral of the grade designation, for example, 12L14).

Therefore, all our cold finish products conform to the Directive guidelines. This conclusion is based on information received from our suppliers and knowledge of our manufacturing process.

Please contact your local Niagara LaSalle Corporation representative if you have any questions or need further information.

Thank you for your continued support

Niagara LaSalle Corporation