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Subject: European Directive 2011/65/EC of 8 June 2011 on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment (RoHS, recast) with Annex II amended by delegated directive (EU) 2015/863, and its amendment 2017/2021/EU

Ref.:

Dear Sir, Madam,

The European Directives cited above restrict the use of lead, mercury, cadmium, hexavalent chromium, polybrominated biphenyl (PBB), polybrominated diphenyl ether (PBDE) flame retardants, as well as the substances Bis(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP), Butyl benzyl phthalate (BBP), Dibutyl phthalate (DBP) and Diisobutyl phthalate (DIBP) in the equipment listed in annex I of the directive.

The products falling within the scope of the directive are obviously compliant.

Legrand seeks to go further than the regulation and in the aim of environmental protection, and has therefore decided to eliminate the substances covered by this directive from all its products. Currently, 98 % of the Legrand Group's worldwide sales is generated with products free from the substances covered by this directive

Actions to completely eliminate these substances from our products are planned according to the technical nature of the products involved and renewal thereof, as well as customer requirements.

Should you require further details on specific catalogue numbers, please contact us.

We remain at your disposal for any further information. Yours sincerely,

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PS: Please note that, in addition to the finished product marketed by Legrand, it is important to take into account the equipment in which the product may be incorporated. Therefore, do not hesitate to contact us, according to specific aspects, to discuss this important issue with our Environment Department.