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Dear Valued Customer,

In response to your concern or inquiry, the following are PTC's statements on product compliance with various sections of the US Toxic Substances Control Act.

Regarding the US EPA's addition of five Persistent, Bioaccumulative, and Toxic Chemicals (PBTs) to section 6(h) of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA), effective February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2021, the final rules limit or prohibit the manufacture (including import), processing, and/or distribution in commerce of the following:

- **Decabromodiphenyl ether (DecaBDE):** A flame retardant in plastic enclosures for televisions, computers, audio and video equipment, textiles and upholstered articles, wire and cables for communication and electronic equipment, and other applications;
- Phenol, Isopropylated Phosphate (3:1) (PIP (3:1)): A plasticizer, a flame retardant, an anti-wear additive, or an anti-compressibility additive in hydraulic fluid, lubricating oils, lubricants and greases, various industrial coatings, adhesives, sealants, and plastic articles;
- **2,4,6-tris(t-butyl) phenol (2,4,6-TTBP):** An intermediate/reactant in processing, and it is incorporated into formulations destined for fuel and fuel-related additives;
- **Hexachlorobutadiene** (**HCBD**): A chemical used as a halogenated aliphatic hydrocarbon that is produced as a byproduct during the manufacture of chlorinated hydrocarbons; and
- **Pentachlorothiophenol (PCTP):** A chemical used to make rubber more pliable in industrial uses.

PTC does not use, and our products do not contain any of the above-listed chemicals. Additional TSCA restrictions on lead in paint, asbestos, formaldehyde in wood products, metallic mercury in consumer products, polychlorinated biphenyls, dioxins, chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs), PFAS chemicals, and hexavalent chromium compounds in water treatment do not apply to PTC products.

Furthermore, regarding TSCA restrictions on the addition of nitrites or other nitrosating agents to metalworking fluids, PTC does not use any nitrosating agents.

The above statement applies to all PTC locations including Enduro Industries, Metal-Matic LLC, and PTC Liberty LLC.

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