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Dear business partners,

We feel responsible for the protection of our environment.

We observe the statutory provisions and requirements within all areas of our company and constantly strive to improve our dedication to the protection of the environment through the conscious and sparing use of our resources, even during the development of new products, services or production processes, through the targeted recycling of waste from the production cycle and through the proper disposal of old appliances.

Furthermore, our products are designed such that, when used normally and for their intended purpose, and according to our present knowledge and the state of the art, they do not contain any substances that could negatively affect the environment or the user's health.

Within the scope of our supply chain management we attach particular importance to compliance with and implementation of the EU regulation no. 1907/2006 - REACH and the EU directive no. 2011/65/EC - RoHS II when dealing with our suppliers.

**EU regulation no. 1907/2006 - REACH**

REACH – Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals

In accordance with the EU regulation No. 1907/2006 Article 3 No. 34 and No. 35, we, as manufacturers of drives and control units for sun protection and industrial applications, are a typical “industrial purchaser of materials, preparations and products” and thus a “downstream user”.

Our suppliers are thus obligated to comply with the EU regulation no. 1907/2006 - REACH and the defined compulsory registration with the European chemical agency ECHA.

**EU directive no. 2011/65/EU - RoHS II**

RoHS – Restriction of certain Hazardous Substances

The EU directive no. 2011/65/EC - RoHS II forbids the bringing onto the market of products that contain certain substances in concentrations exceeding the respective limit value.

These are in particular cadmium (Cd), lead (Pb), mercury (Hg) and hexavalent chromium (CR-VI) as well as polybrominated biphenyls (PBB) or polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDE) and decabromodiphenyl ethers (DBDE).


We hereby confirm that our products with an EU declaration of conformity and CE-mark meet the requirements of the EU directive no. 2011/65/EU - RoHS II.

No assurances in the sense of warranty laws may be derived from the above statements.



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