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Declaration of Conformity with REACH Directive

This document declares that the products manufactured by Hawke International are fully compliant with REACH, (Registration, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals, European Union Regulation (EC) 1907/2006).

As a downstream user, Hawke International maintains contact with all our suppliers and requires them to identify any product which contains SVHCs according to the Candidate list and its revisions, published by ECHA (European Chemical Agency). This statement refers to the candidate list of 240 substances published on 23rd January 2024.

Lead (Pb) EC / List no.: 231-100-4 was added to the SVHC candidate list in June 2018. Articles containing >0.1% lead trigger REACH article 33 communication obligation to ensure sufficient information is provided down the supply chain to ensure safe use.

Hawke International can confirm that the brass alloys used by Hawke International contain Lead (Pb) EC / List no.: 231-100-4 as an intentional alloying element >0.1%. As the lead is contained within the metallic alloy, we can confirm that the product in normal use does not constitute a risk to the user. We can further confirm that we do apply article 4 paragraph 6 exemption for brass alloy containing up to 4% lead as detailed in RoHS Directive 2011/65/EC-RoHS2 Annex III 6(c).



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