

**Directive 2011/65/EC  
Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)  
Declaration of Compliance**



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Dear Valued Customer:

The European Union Directive 2011/65/EC, Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS) legislation restricts the use of certain substances in electrical and electronic equipment. This directive applies to all electrical and electronic products and their components currently placed on the European market. All products produced by Taiyo America conform to the following maximum concentration limits of this directive as shown below.

Cadmium	0.01%
Hexavalent Chromium	0.1%
Lead	0.1%
Mercury	0.1%
Polybrominated Biphenyls (PBBs)	0.1 %
Polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDE)	0.1%

Taiyo America, Inc. has taken reasonable steps to ensure that products do not contain these substances. These measures include the requirement of a certification statement or declaration from all suppliers or distributors stating that no mercury, hexavalent chromium, polybrominated biphenyls (PBBs), polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDEs), lead in excess of 100 ppm, or cadmium in excess of 5 ppm are added to, or known to be present in the raw materials supplied. This certification is kept on file for each raw material.

Based upon the data from our raw material suppliers, and baseline analytical testing we expect our products to be in conformance with this directive.

If you need further information please contact Phillip Harrison.

Best Regards,

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