

SLAVERY

EC DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY

1st April 2024

Directive 2011/36/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 5th April 2011 coming into force on the same day replaces Council Framework Decision 2002/629/JHA and prevents and combats trafficking in human beings and protects victims. This is implemented in the UK by the Modern Slavery Act 2015 (Transparency in Supply Chains) Regulations 2015 (SI 2015/1833). Modern slavery can take many forms including the trafficking of people, forced labour, servitude and slavery. Advice on applying supply chain due diligence principles to assure the integrity of labour supply chains is available at url:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/use-of-labour-providers/advice-on-applying-supply-chain-due-diligence-principles-to-assure-your-labour-supply-chains>

We declare that we have strong company management systems and to the best of our knowledge, our supply chain participants do not contribute to modern slavery with the exception of the suppliers listed in the attached table.

We will continue to audit supply chains, mitigate risk, monitor and track progress and immediately inform our customers if and when a supplier risk is no longer acceptable and the source of supply has been disengaged.



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Risks:

Country	SVHC	CAS No.	Component with Substance	% Concentration (w/w)
China	Various	Oct 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Xinjiang Uighur autonomous region (Xinjiang) and Tibetan-populated areas (Tibet) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Equal rights Freedom of expression 	Yes
Mongolia	Stainless Steel Valves	Oct 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Herdsman displacement Child labour 	Yes
India	Brass	Oct 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jammu and Kashmir conflict <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Equal rights Child labour 	Yes
Turkey	Hose, Tube	Oct 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Syrian Migrant crisis Child labour 	Yes

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