

## Policy and Declaration of Compliance To California Proposition 65

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Consistent with our core values, Sheldon Manufacturing strives to provide high quality, safe products for our customers. We are dedicated to working with our customers and suppliers to meet consumer product safety requirements applicable to our products, including California Proposition 65, officially known as the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986.

### **How does Sheldon Manufacturing provide the warning?**

According to California Proposition 65, it is the duty of Sheldon Manufacturing to advise its customers of potential chemicals from the +900 listed by the state of California to do harm. Our product warnings, where applicable, are clearly labeled on the product or the packaging of the product. Furthermore, all shipments to California have a warning clearly displayed on the packing note. Customers that purchase our products on-line in our webstores are always advised prior to purchasing.

Proposition 65 applies to any company doing business in the state of California. Our products are sold and distributed through several channels into California, including representatives located in other states. To ensure products entering California carry the right labeling, Sheldon Manufacturing provides the warning on affected products, regardless of destination in the United States.

**What does it mean if a product carries a Proposition 65 warning?** The warning does not mean our products will cause cancer or reproductive harm, nor that it is in violation of safety standards or regulations. It is a public “Right to Know” information that the product contains a chemical from the list and that individuals may be exposed to the chemical. Our products may have traces of chemicals from the list that are a constituent element in materials used. Power coat paint, as an example, is used in painting and adhesives (such as some Loctite® compounds). The presence of this chemical would trigger a warning on our product.

We apologize for any concern this may cause individuals outside of the State of California, who may not be familiar with Proposition 65. For more information on Proposition 65, visit <https://www.p65warnings.ca.gov/> Should you have any further questions, please feel free to use our “contact us” form via our websites.

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