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To Whom It May Concern:

Re: European Union's REACH Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) Candidate List

Belden Americas Division (Belden) wire and cable products do not contain any of the following 16 substances listed on the European Union's REACH Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) candidate list.

<i>Substance Name</i>	<i>CAS Number</i>
Anthracene	120-12-7
4,4'- Diaminodiphenylmethane	101-77-9
Dibutyl phthalate	84-74-2
Cyclododecane	294-62-2
Cobalt dichloride	7646-79-9
Diarsenic pentaoxide	1303-28-2
Diarsenic trioxide	1327-53-3
Sodium dichromate, dihydrate	7789-12-0
5-tert-butyl-2,4,6-trinitro-m-xylene (musk xylene)	81-15-2
Bis (2-ethyl(hexyl)phthalate) (DEHP)	117-81-7
Hexabromocyclododecane (HBCDD)	25637-99-4
Alkanes, C10-13, chloro (Short Chain Chlorinated Paraffins)	85535-84-8
Bis(tributyltin)oxide	56-35-9
Lead hydrogen arsenate	7784-40-9
Triethyl arsenate	15606-95-8
Benzyl butyl phthalate	85-68-7

Additionally, Belden Americas Division exports only articles to the European Union. Therefore, registration is not required. Belden will continue to monitor changes to the Reach legislation and react accordingly. Belden Americas Division does not anticipate any interruptions in material availability due to Reach.

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