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**Customer Disclosure regarding US Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA),  
Section 6(h)**

Dear Sir or Madam,

Beckhoff Automation GmbH & Co. KG is aware of the substance restrictions published on January 6, 2021 under the US Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA), Section 6(h). The following substances were regulated:

Decabromodiphenyl ether (DecaBDE).  
Phenol, isopropylated phosphate (3:1) (PIP (3:1))  
2,4,6-Tris(tert-butyl)phenol (2,4,6-TTBP)  
Hexachlorobutadiene (HCBd)  
Pentachlorothiophenol (PCTP)

The EPA (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency) has extended the deadline to Oct. 31, 2024 for the distribution of PIP (3:1)-containing products:

<https://www.epa.gov/assessing-and-managing-chemicals-under-tsca/persistent-bioaccumulative-and-toxic-pbt-chemicals>

To our knowledge, the concerned substances are not used in the electrical and electronics industry or are already regulated in the EU, with the exception of phenol, isopropylated phosphate (PIP 3:1).

All substances listed above are included in the international list of declarable substances of IEC 62474 "Material Declaration for Products of and for the Electrotechnical Industry". In general, Beckhoff Automation requires its suppliers to comply with the IEC 62474 standard and to provide us with information in accordance with this.

We can confirm that this substance, PIP (3:1), is not intentionally added at the production site of Beckhoff Automation itself, nor have we received any information from our suppliers regarding an article or preparation containing PIP (3:1). Beckhoff Automation continues to monitor its compliance with the new U.S. substance restrictions and is in communication with its supply chain.

Best regards.

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Beckhoff Automation GmbH & Co. KG

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