



California Proposition 65

To better assist Californians to be aware of possible known toxins, the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 more commonly known as Proposition 65, requires businesses to provide a “clear and reasonable” warning to Californians about any possible chemical that may cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

It is important to note that Proposition 65 is intended for all goods that may end up in California and is intended for that state specifically. It is not necessary to conduct or reside in California to be in the chain of litigation related to Proposition 65. If a product sold to an out of state client ended up in California, the liability of Proposition 65 still applies to any party involved in that transaction. Such as the supplier, distributor or client.

At Everson, we take pride in providing functional and most importantly safe products to our clients. We are committed to offer the highest quality products which meet applicable Federal standards and regulations as set forth by the Consumer Product Safety Commission, Federal Communication Commission, and the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

In effort to comply with the Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (<https://oehha.ca.gov/about>), which is the lead state agency handling all possible environmental contaminants that pose health risks; we have established an ongoing product safety initiative throughout our supply chain to ensure the production of goods adhere to Proposition 65 standards. Considering the nature of our products, and common request by many of our distributors, we have also taken measures to focus on Third Party testing of lead content in substrates and surface coatings of our products to ensure they are in compliance with strict CPSIA regulations. Our current strategy has been to use this testing program to demonstrate that the products we ship to California meet the Proposition 65 standards for lead.

Since we are not able to test every item that is shipped to California for all the listed chemicals in Proposition 65, one may have reservations about Proposition 65 Compliance. As a precaution to protect against any liability, we are happy to apply warning labels compliant to Proposition 65 to any item at your discretion free of charge. The request to apply the Proposition 65 warning label must be noted on the purchase order when it is first placed.

The label will read as follows.

WARNING: Cancer and Reproductive Harm – www.p65warnings.ca.gov

Information regarding the proposition can be found at <https://oehha.ca.gov/proposition-65/businesses-and-proposition-65>.

For plain language viewing of Proposition 65 regulations and chemical listings, please visit: <http://www.oehha.ca.gov/prop65/background/p65plain.html>