

Inox Mare srl (Italy), 47924 Rimini

To all customers of Inox Mare srl

Rimini, November 2023

## Your inquiry regarding the RoHS Directive 2015/863/EU

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Thank you for your request regarding the current RoHS Directive.

EU Directive 2015/863/EU (RoHS III) updates EU Directive 2011/65/EU (RoHS II) on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment.

The directive is implemented by the Electrical and Electronic Equipment Substances Ordinance. This means that electrical and electronic equipment, including cables and spare parts, which contain >0.1% by weight of lead, mercury, hexavalent chromium (CrVI), PBB, PBDE, DEHP, BBP, DBP, DIBP or >0.01% by weight of cadmium per homogeneous material may not be placed on the market.

Derogations exist for certain substances and uses.

For lead as an alloying element, for example, the exceptions set out in Annex III apply:

- 6a. (steel max. 0.35 %),
- 6b. (aluminium alloys max. 0.4 %),
- 6c. (copper alloys max. 4 %)

Fasteners as such do not fall within the scope of this Directive. It may behave differently if they are part of the electrical and electronic equipment specified in the Directive.

We enclose our declaration of conformity as an attachment.

Yours sincerely

Inox Mare srl

Alessandro Mazzolani,

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## **DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY**

EU Directive 2011/65/EU (RoHS II), update 2015/863/EU (RoHS III) to restrict the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical & electronic equipment

We

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hereby declare that the fasteners supplied by us with the following characteristics, based on the test method DIN EN 15205 / DIN EN ISO 3613, comply with the requirements of the RoHS directive:

Compliant with 2011/65/EU

Appendix II

Base materials: - Steel

Stainless SteelNon-ferrous metals

- Plastics (except flame-retardant products)

Appendix III 6a.

Appendix II 6b, 6c

Coatings: - Without

Without
 Zinc- and Zincalloy coatings with blue/transparent passivation
 Zinc flake coatings without chromates (flZnnc)
 Hot-dip galvanizing (tZn)

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References:

- ISO 4042: Fasteners – Electroplated coating systems

- ISO 19598 (DIN 50979): Metallic coatings - Electroplated coating of zinc and

zinc alloy on steel with supplementary Cr(VI)-free treatments

ISO 12683: Mechanically deposited coatings of zinc

- ISO 8839: Mechanical properties of fasteners of non-ferrous metals - ISO 10683: Non-electrolytically applied zinc flake coating systems

- ISO 10684: Fasteners - Hot-dip galvanized coatings

- DIN EN ISO 3613 Abs. 5.5.2: Test methods for chromate coatings

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