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## OFFICIAL STATEMENT

## 'DIRECTIVE 2011/65/EU OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 8 June 2011

on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment' (recast)

This is to confirm that all current Azote brand foam products (incorporating all Plastazote®, Evazote® and Supazote® grades) and ZOTEK brand products (incorporating all ZOTEK® F and ZOTEK® N grades) are fully compliant with the requirements of the EC directive 2011/65/EU above (otherwise referred to as the 'RoHS' directive) and all amendments to date.

In particular I can advise that at no stage during the manufacturing process utilised by Zotefoams plc for the manufacture of the above products are the following substances or compounds of them intentionally added to the product formulation:

- Lead (Pb)
- Mercury (Hg)
- Cadmium (Cd)
- Hexavalent Chromium (Cr<sup>6+</sup>)
- PolyBrominated Biphenyls (PBB) or PolyBrominated Diphenyl Ethers (PBDE)
- Phthalates (DEHP, BBP, DBP and DIBP)

It is important to note that this statement applies to the foam product as it leaves Zotefoams production facilities. Zotefoams will not accept liability for other materials or processes used in combination with the foam in order to produce a final product.

I trust that the above statement is sufficient, however if any further information or clarification is required then please do not hesitate to contact the Technical Support group at the address above.

Yours sincerely

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