ZOLL

CA Proposition 65 Statement

August, 2018

California's Proposition 65 (also called the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act) was enacted in 1986. It is intended to help Californians make informed decisions about protecting themselves from chemicals known to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm. As part of the law, the state is required to publish a list of chemicals that are "known to the State of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity." The list is updated at least once a year and now contains over 850 different chemicals. The complete list can be found on the California Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA) website. The Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA) administers the Proposition 65 program. Some of the substances listed by OEHHA can affect the reproductive systems of men and/or women. Others are thought to cause cancer. Scientists classify all of these cancer-related substances at least as probable carcinogens, meaning that they might cause cancer in some people. But not all of them are known carcinogens (known to cause cancer) by groups and experts outside the state of California. This means that not every compound labeled as a possible cancer-causing substance has been proven to the worldwide scientific community to actually cause cancer.

The signage and label requirements were updated and are in full effect in August, 2018.

At our San Jose, CA facility:

Required sign posted on facility at each employee entrance, and we use waste and recycling companies that adhere to the standard. Our waste is segregated into recycling bins such as plastics, e-waste, hazardous waste, general disposal, etc. See example of the sign posted here:



To the best of our knowledge, ZOLL is in all material respects in compliance with the California Proposition 65 regulations. In addition:

To the best of our knowledge, ZOLL is in all material respects in compliance with the California Transparency in Supply Chains Act of 2010, based on our good faith understanding of the statutory provisions as they may apply to a medical device manufacturer.

To the best of our knowledge, ZOLL is in all material respects in compliance with the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, Section 1502, regarding conflict minerals.