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**Declaration of Compliance with
European Union “REACH” Legislation**
(Regulation, Evaluation and Authorization of Chemicals)

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals, otherwise known as “REACH”, states that manufacturers have a responsibility to identify and communicate to customers if “Substances of Very High Concern” (SVHC), as defined and published by the European Chemicals Agency (ECHA), are contained in their products at greater than 0.1% by weight.

This letter certifies that, except for lead in combination with brass not exceeding 4% concentration by weight in toggle switch boots, pushbutton boots, and rotary shaft seals, the products manufactured by APM Hexseal Corporation do not contain any of the 205 listed SVHC, published by the ECHA on January 16th, 2020, in concentrations greater than the allowed 0.1% by weight limit.

Under the structure of the REACH regulation, APM Hexseal is a manufacturer of “ARTICLES” to our EU customers (according to ECHA’s guidance for articles, the APM Hexseal components shall be considered as articles). We do not manufacture “substances” or “preparations” and APM Hexseal’s articles do not involve the “intentional release of substances”. Accordingly, we foresee no registration or pre-registration or Authorization requirement for the products we supply.

Based on the above, APM Hexseal is in compliance with the current REACH legislation concerning SVHCs, as specified in Article 33.

Signed for on behalf of
APM Hexseal Corporation

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Russ Wheeler'.

Russ Wheeler, General Manager

