To all Distributors of Pennsylvania Machine Works Products

From: Sales/Quality Assurance

Re: Proposition 65 California - Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986

In August 2018 the State of California under Proposition 65 imposed a requirement on Manufacturers to label all products that contain chemicals identified by the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm to anyone exposed to thresholds above certain limits. Please refer to https://oehha.ca.gov/proposition-65 for a detailed list of elements.

Pennsylvania Machine Works produces high pressure forged steel fittings and branch connections directly from steel produced by steel mills throughout the world. Many of these steels contain chemicals such as nickel, chromium and cobalt which appear on the California list. The industrial applications for our products in their manufactured state does not in our evaluation pose a threat of exposure. These fittings are machined from solids with no chemicals added or exposed by Pennsylvania Machine Works.

There are considerations for safety when end-users or fabricators grind, weld, drill and saw on these steel alloys. We have made available to all users our GHS Safety Data Sheet on our website. Neither grinding, welding, drilling or sawing impacts the stability of the steel alloys used in the manufacturing of the finished products.

Pennsylvania Machine Works makes every effort to remain in full compliance with required quality initiatives of our customers. Our customers are distributors located throughout the United States and Overseas.

Products produced by Pennsylvania Machine Works are for industrial Pipe Valve and Fittings applications and not direct to consumer applications.

If you have any questions regarding any product you have purchased from Pennsylvania Machine Works please contact any sales representative at 1-800-PENNUSA. All of us here at Penn Machine thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,

Kevin Downs
Sales Manager