INK, HEART & SOUL





Declaration of non use of

Substances listed in California Proposition 65 list

California Proposition 65 requires businesses to provide warnings on or with their products in California detailing significant exposures to chemicals that cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm. By law, a warning must be given for any Prop 65 substances unless the exposure is low enough to pose no significant risk. Siegwerk does not have knowledge of the end uses of our products and cannot make any guarantee regarding the actual exposure levels to the Prop 65 chemicals. Siegwerk can only report the Prop 65 substances contained in our products and our customer must make the determination if a Prop 65 warning or declaration is needed.

Siegwerk products may contain Prop 65 substances which will be listed on the US Safety Data Sheet (SDS) under Section 15: Regulatory Information, Section: California Prop. 65. Please contact Siegwerk if you need a specific assessment.

In the manufacture of **all** products supplied by Siegwerk¹, substances listed in California Proposition 65 (list issued December 29, 2023) or raw materials² containing such substances, are not used as intentionally added ingredients besides the exceptions listed below. The presence, however, of traces of these substances in the product coming from raw material impurities, from the processes or as adventitious contaminant cannot be fully excluded.

Exceptions:

Carbon black (CAS No. 1333-86-4), Titanium dioxide, and crystalline silica are listed as "airborne, unbound particles of respirable size" and therefore, as their particles intrinsically remain bound within the matrix of an ink and of a printed layer, they are not in a form which poses a significant risk when on a cured/dried finished printed articles. Consequently, these substances are not subject to the California Proposition 65 reporting mechanisms.

Pigment Red 53:1, CAS 5160-02-1 (referred to as D&C Red No. 9) and Pigment Orange 5, CAS 3468-63-1 (referred to as D&C Orange No. 17) are used in various types of inks.

Trimethylolpropane triacrylate (CAS 15625-89-5) is exclusively used in a number of UV printing inks and varnishes.

The information in this document reflects Siegwerk's policy and commitments. This statement is valid without signature.

¹ Formal commitment is taken by Siegwerk companies in North America and with regard to the nonvolatile content in the rest of the world.

² Above the legal disclosure threshold, as reported in suppliers' safety data sheets.