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## Re: Compliance with California "Proposition 65" Product Warnings

Dear Tel-Tru Customer,

You may be aware that the State of California requires specialized consumer product warnings where an exposure to certain regulated chemicals in the product under typical use / conditions could result in a significant increased risk of cancer or reproductive harm. That law is known as the California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (or more commonly, "Proposition 65"). To address this issue, Tel-Tru Manufacturing Company ("Tel-Tru") retained a California toxicology consulting firm experienced in Product 65 analyses to independently evaluate representative Tel-Tru products with regards to metals included in the current Proposition 65 list of regulated chemicals. As described below, those tests show that no Proposition 65 warnings are required.

Representative products were chosen and then subjected to a "wipe test" following strict laboratory procedures to evaluate the metal release under conditions that would approximate what would occur if the products were touched under typical conditions. A screening-level quantitative exposure assessment was performed for metals based on a conservative (health protective) generic scenario which included conservative assumptions about frequency and duration of daily contact with the product.

From our testing, the sample product materials were determined by the toxicology firm to have very low concentrations of regulated metals (*i.e.*, lead and nickel) which, when coupled with typical if not conservative daily usage (exposure) patterns, were found to fall within the State's "Safe Harbor" exposure levels for these chemicals. The Safe Harbor numbers constitute acceptable daily exposures considered by the State to be exempt from the requirements of Proposition 65 labeling / warning. Consequently, we are not required to use any type of Proposition 65 warning label on the product packaging or through other marketing formats (*e.g.*, internet sales) for these materials.

We truly appreciate your interest in our products and future business relationship.

Best regards,

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