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To: Our Valued Customers

Subject: RoHS Statement

In response to the recent legislative environmental directives that are currently being instituted around the world, the R. D. Mathis Company is issuing this letter to address your concerns and state our compliance status to these initiatives. The most notable directive, RoHS (Restriction of Hazardous Substances in electronic equipment), intends to limit the amounts of Lead (Pb), Mercury (Hg), Hexavalent Chromium (Cr VI), Cadmium (Cd) and Poly brominated flame retardants (PBB and PBDE) contained in electrical type equipment. The latest version of this directive now includes HBCDD, DEHP, BBP and DBP as priority substances and considerations for restrictions. All of the R.D. Mathis standard catalog evaporation sources, as well as modified and custom sources, that we supply to our customers meet the standards intended by this directive.

Listed below is a list of our products, categorized by product type, that are either compliant or indicate a date of expected compliance with the latest RoHS initiative:

Example of full Part Numbers: F4-3x.025W, H3-.060W, B12B-3x.030W, etc.

Table with 3 columns: Prefix of Part Number, Description, Compliant. Rows include Tungsten Wire Sources, Crucibles and Crucible Heaters, Boat Sources, Special Boxes and Baffled Boxes, Micro-Electronic Sources, Chrome Plated Tungsten Rods, Special Sources, and Tungsten, Tantalum, Molybdenum, Niobium materials.

*Chromium plated tungsten rods are hard chrome plated and only contain pure Chromium (Cr). This includes part numbers CRW-1, CRW-2, CRW-3 and CRW-M1. They are absent of oxides which are present in hexavalent chromium and do not contain Cr VI.

This letter has been prepared at the request of our customers and will be updated as needed. Please feel free to contact this company if you have further questions.

Sincerely,

R. D. Mathis Company

