



# DURACELL®

A Berkshire Hathaway Company  
Berkshire Corporate Park  
14 Research Drive  
Bethel, CT 06801

Dear Customer,

THIS LETTER IS TO CERTIFY ALL PRODUCTS SUPPLIED BY DURACELL DO NOT CONTAIN ANY OF THE SUBSTANCES BANNED ON MARCH 8, 2021 BY THE EPA'S TSCA (TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT (15 U.S.C. 2606) SECTION 6(H)), AND WHICH PROHIBITS THE FIVE CHEMICALS BELOW FROM BEING PLACED ON THE U.S. MARKET.

- a. **Decabromodiphenyl Ether (DecaBDE)** is a flame retardant in plastic enclosures for televisions, computers, audio and video equipment, textiles and upholstered articles, wire and cables for communication and electronic equipment, and other applications
- b. **Phenol, Isopropylated Phosphate (PIP[3:1])** is a plasticizer, a flame retardant, an anti-wear additive, or an anti-compressibility additive in hydraulic fluid, lubricating oils, lubricants and greases, various industrial coatings, adhesives, sealants, and plastic articles
- c. **2,4,6-tris (tert-butyl)phenol** is an intermediate/reactant in processing, and it is incorporated into formulations destined for fuel and fuel-related additives;
- d. **Hexachlorobutadiene (HCBD)** is a chemical used as a halogenated aliphatic hydrocarbon that is produced as a byproduct during the manufacture of chlorinated hydrocarbons
- e. **Pentachlorothiophenol (PCTP)** is a chemical used to make rubber more pliable in industrial uses.

More information on these banned substances can be found on the EPA website:

<https://www.epa.gov/assessing-and-managing-chemicals-under-tsca/persistent-bioaccumulative-and-toxic-pbt-chemicals-under>

Laura Zadrack  
Printed Name

Laura Zadrack  
Signature

HSE Manager  
Title

5/17/21  
Date