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Product Declaration: **Heavy Metal Content****Product Lines:**

Ultraform® Acetal (POM)

Ultrason® High Temp Polymer

Ultradur® PBT Thermoplastic Polyester

Ecoflex® Biodegradable Plastic

Neopor® EPS

Ultramid® Nylon

Nypel® Recycled Nylon

Petra® PET Thermoplastic Polyester

Ecovio® Biodegradable Plastic

Styropor® Expandable Polystyrene

To Whom It May Concern:

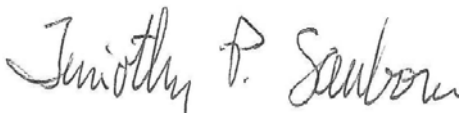
Please be advised that based on the information available to us from our raw material suppliers, the current products offered in the product lines listed above do not contain, as intentional additives, any of the below referenced materials at the levels referenced. To the best of our knowledge, none of these materials are generated during production. These substances may be present as impurities, but their total concentration is expected to be less than 100 ppm. We do not specifically run any analysis on our raw materials or end product to measure for these materials.

Cadmium and its compounds	< 0.01%
Hexavalent chromium compounds	< 0.1%
Mercury and its compounds	< 0.1%
Lead and its compounds	< 0.1%

As the supplier of the raw material, we cannot make any statement with regard to the extruded/molded components made from this material since this may be process dependent.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

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