7 March 2023

Attn: Technical Committee,

Subject: Samtec Products – TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) - Certificate of Conformance

In response to your recent inquiry concerning the compliance status of Samtec product(s) to TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) Section 6(h) as issued by the US EPA (Environmental Protection Agency), please note the following information:

Samtec product(s), and all homogeneous subcomponents are, to the best of our knowledge, compliant with the Toxic Substances Control Act, Section 6(h) of 6 January 2021 regarding the restriction of the five persistent, bioaccumulative, and toxic (PBT) substances listed below. In accordance with the aforementioned EPA ruling, and subsequent OCSPP (Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention) related to “No Action Assurance” directed to PIP (3:1) the use of the five named substances below is restricted as of 8 March 2021. This Certificate of Conformance is applicable to all Samtec product(s) as shipped from Samtec facilities.

- Decabromodiphenyl ether (DecaBDE) (CAS No. 1163–19–5)
- Phenol, isopropylated phosphate (3:1) (PIP (3:1)) (CAS No. 68937–41–7)
- 2,4,6-Tris(tert-butyl)phenol (2,4,6-TTBP) (CAS No. 732-26-3)
- Hexachlorobutadiene (HCBD) (CAS No.87–68–3)
- Pentachlorothiophenol (PCTP) (CAS No.133-49-3)

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Samtec Product Environmental Compliance Group via email address PEC@samtec.com. PEC will be pleased to address any open issues.

Thank you for your continued interest in Samtec products.

Respectfully,

Mark Bobo, Corporate Director, Environmental Compliance

The information provided in this document is based upon technical data believed to be reliable and is accurate to the best of our knowledge. – Samtec Incorporated