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Dear Distributor:

As a California manufacturer with distribution partners who sell into California, Cambro and our re-sale partners are subject to the requirements of **California Proposition 65**, the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Prop 65). This California law requires manufacturers and distributors to provide “clear and reasonable” warnings to their customers if their product contains any chemical on the Prop 65 List, which comprises approximately 900 chemicals.¹

Bisphenol A (BPA), a key component of polycarbonate, has been added to the Prop 65 list of chemicals. As of May 11, 2016, Cambro is required by the State of California to apply a Prop 65 warning label to every carton of polycarbonate product that ships into the State of California. Cambro will comply with this requirement by prominently placing the required warning on the shipping cartons of products that contain BPA. Regardless of your location, you will soon be seeing these labels on shipments of only *polycarbonate* products from Cambro.

How does this legislation impact your business?

If you distribute or sell polycarbonate products to customers in the State of California, Prop 65 requires that you post a Prop 65 warning on applicable product displays by May 11, 2016, that is clearly visible to the consumer prior to purchase. This requirement extends to polycarbonate products that are already “on the shelf” or in inventory in California. The Prop 65 warning message must include the following language: “WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.”

We have included a sample Prop 65 warning sign in this mailing for your convenience. According to the law, the Prop 65 warning sign “must be displayed with such conspicuousness, as compared with other words, statements, designs, labeling or display as to render it likely to be read and understood by an ordinary individual under customary conditions of purchase or use.”

In the case of internet sales, until the State of California establishes specific e-commerce requirements, we recommend that you place the required Prop 65 warning on the pages of your website where polycarbonate products are displayed either directly below the advertised product or in a location where the purchaser will see it before clicking the “purchase” button. The warning must be in a size and typeface that is clear and conspicuous and should state “CALIFORNIA PROP 65 WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.” For further information about Prop 65 and specific guidance for regulation compliance, please refer to <http://oehha.ca.gov/prop65/law/12601.html>

Cambro is Committed to Customer Safety and Support

Cambro has a long history of manufacturing products backed by fact-based science and a commitment to safety and performance. We are dedicated to continuing our track record of customer safety and support, and we thank you for your partnership.

If you have further questions, please feel free to contact Tania Nelson, Director of Marketing, at 714-230-4414/ tnelson@Cambro.com or Melissa Goss, Director of Sales Support and Customer Service, at 714-230-4417/ mgoss@Cambro.com.

We appreciate your prompt attention to this important and time-sensitive matter.

Sincerely,



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President

¹ Section 25603(c) of Title 27, California Code of Regulations, Article 6 provides: “A person in the course of business, who manufactures, produces, assembles, processes, handles, distributes, stores, sells, or otherwise transfers a consumer product which he or she knows to contain a chemical known to the state to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity in an amount that requires a warning shall provide a warning to any person to whom the product is sold or transferred unless the product is packaged or labeled with a clear and reasonable warning.”