



COMMENTS ON PFAS

PFAS (Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substance) is an emerging issue in many parts of the world. Unfortunately, the regulations are still being written, and definitions and methods are evolving. The US EPA has some information that focuses on PFOA and PFOS (which are two PFAS materials determined by the EPA). European Chemical Agency (ECHA) says PFAS are a large class of thousands of synthetic chemicals that are used throughout society. Using their definition of PFAS results in more than 10,000 PFAS substances. Some manufacturers of fluoropolymers (which are considered PFAS by some definitions), believe PFAS fluorosurfactants that are used to make fluoropolymers should be the focus and are trying to eliminate these fluorosurfactants.

Upon request Champlain Cable can provide information about fluoropolymers that are being used or have been intentionally added to a specific part number.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mark Blanco", is written over a faint horizontal line.

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