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## **Attestation of conformity**

(Translation based of German attestation)

We confirm that all our products comply with the ecological requirements of the following standards and directives:

### **REACH**

The European REACH Regulation No 1907/2006 is the European Chemicals Regulation for the Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals. As things stand today, our products meet all the requirements of REACH and do not contain any materials on the current candidate list that exceed the limit value of 0.1 percent by mass. No substances are used that are subject to the current restrictions according to REACH Annex XVII, with the exception of lead and chromium VI.

- Lead may be present in small quantities as an alloying component of steel, aluminum and copper alloys to improve machinability.

- Chromium VI (or hexavalent chromium) is contained in the black coating of the valve bodies of the WV700 series. Chromium VI is present in the black chromated zinc coating.

If the products are used correctly, there is no danger to people or the environment!

In accordance with Art. 33.1, we will fulfill our obligation and inform our customers immediately if there are any changes to the above-mentioned facts or if materials relevant to us are added to the candidate list.

### **RoHS**

The RoHS 2 Directive 2011/65/EU on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment, including the substances in Directive (EU) 2015/863. No substances are used that are subject to the applicable restrictions in accordance with RoHS 2 including Annex III points 6a, 6b, 6c and 7a. The limit values specified in the directive are not exceeded under any circumstances, with the exception of chromium VI (or hexavalent chromium) and certain plasticizers.

- Chromium VI (or hexavalent chromium) is contained in the black coating of the valve bodies of the WV700 series. The chromium VI is present in the black chromated zinc coating.

- Plasticizers may be present in sealing materials. Our suppliers cannot guarantee that the residual content will always fall below the limit of 0.1%.

### **Conflict Minerals**

The Dodd-Frank Act is an American federal law to promote ethical business practices. It requires listed companies to investigate and report on the sourcing of the metals tin, tantalum, tungsten and gold. The metals are suspected of financing conflicts in Central Africa (Democratic Republic of the Congo and neighboring countries). As part of the supply chain, we are committed to the ethical business practices of the Dodd-Frank Act, even as an unlisted company.

The metals mostly used as alloy components in our materials, especially tungsten, come exclusively from trustworthy sources with ethical principles.

### **PFAS**

Perfluorinated and polyfluorinated alkyl substances are found in our products, particularly in seals in the form of PTFE and FKM.



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Erich Grossenbacher  
(Leiter Entwicklung)