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## Regarding compliance to the limit values for certain restricted substances in the RoHS directive

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Best regards,

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