



SEARING INDUSTRIES

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Searing Industries Inc. Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Compliance Letter

The Toxic Substances Control Act or TSCA was enacted in 1976 to prevent unreasonable risk of injury to human health or the environment associated with the manufacture, processing, distribution in commerce, use, or disposal of chemical substances. This act provides EPA with authority to require reporting, recordkeeping and testing requirements, and restrictions relating to chemical substances and/or mixtures. TSCA addresses the production, importation, use, and disposal of specific chemicals including polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs), asbestos, radon and lead-based paint.

The EPA has, as of January 6, 2021, prohibited the following five (5) substances as persistent, bio accumulative, and toxic (PBT) chemicals:

- 1) decabromodiphenyl ether (decaBDE)
- 2) phenol, isopropylated phosphate (3:1) (PIP (3:1))
- 3) 2,4,6-tris(tert-butyl) phenol (2,4,6-TTBP)
- 4) hexachlorobutadiene (HCBd) 5) and pentachloro thiophenol (PCTP).

Searing Industries produces carbon steel tubing made from mills worldwide. The constituents or chemistry of the material we make are listed in the TSCA database. However, the five (5) chemicals listed above are not added during the melting of steels nor does Searing Industries add any of these substances to its products throughout its manufacturing processes.

For further information regarding our products, please refer to the Material Safety data Sheet for the applicable product.

Thank you for your continued support.

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Searing Industries, Inc.