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To:

Dear Customer,

Thank you for purchasing LAPP products. We have confirmed the rules of this requirement with customs and other third-party testing agencies, and now we will respond to your questions about VOCs.

Volatile organic compounds (VOCs) are emitted as gases from certain solids or liquids. VOCs include a variety of chemicals, some of which may have short- and long-term adverse health effects. China national standards establish relating to coatings, adhesives, inks and cleaning agents used in the electrical and electronics industry. The mandatory national standards were released on March 4, 2020. Except GB 38507-2020, which will be implemented on April 1, 2021, the other standards will become effective on December 1, 2020.

*GB 30981-2020[1] Limit of harmful substances of industrial protective coatings*

*GB 33372-2020[2] Limit of volatile organic compounds content in adhesive*

*GB 38507-2020[3] Limits of volatile organic compounds (VOCs) in printing ink*

*GB 38508-2020[4] Limits for volatile organic compounds content in cleaning agents*

But the target is the raw material suppliers of inks and other volatile substances. For inks that have been printed on cables or other products, China Customs does not require (and cannot) inspect the ink components to ensure that they meet VOCs requirements. This regulation will not cause any restriction or influence on the entry of LAPP products you purchased into China.

LAPP has attributed great importance to the subject of safety and the environment from a very early stage. In our production process, we will always pay attention to the standard and implement the REACH regulations. Now, in response to the VOCs requirements, we will also ensure that our auxiliary raw materials do not contain VOCs substances exceeding the standard or replace them with harmless materials.

Please rest assured to use, thank you for your purchase and support.

Best Regards

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