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Your inquiry regarding Eastman products "TENITE" Butyrate 575E-37200-10 and "EASTAR" Copolyester GN071 was redirected to my attention.

Please note that we have not specifically analyzed cellulose "TENITE" Butyrate 575E-37200-10 and "EASTAR" Copolyester GN071 for the presence of the substances listed in EU Directive 2002/95/EC (RoHS) relating to restrictions of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment. Based on our current knowledge of the raw materials and processes we use in the manufacture, we have no reason to expect that the compounds listed below should be present in this product above the listed threshold quantities defined in the EU directive:

Substance Group Name	Limit
Lead	0.1% by weight in homogeneous material
Mercury	0.1% by weight in homogeneous material
Hexavalent Chromium (Chrome 6)	0.1% by weight in homogeneous material
Polybrominated Biphenyls (PBB)	0.1% by weight in homogeneous material
Polybrominated Diphenyls Ether (PBDE)	0.1% by weight in homogeneous material
Cadmium	0.01% by weight in homogeneous material

It is the responsibility of our customers to determine that their use of our product(s) is safe, lawful, and technically suitable in their intended applications. Because of possible changes in the law and in regulations, as well as possible changes in our products, we cannot guarantee that the status of this product will remain unchanged. We, therefore, recommend that customers continuing to use this product verify its status periodically.

We appreciate your continued interest in Eastman Chemical Company's products. Additional information regarding Eastman products can be found at our corporate website, www.Eastman.com. Please feel free to contact me if you have any further questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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