

To whom it may concern,

Paris, 05 January 2024

Réf.: AD -2024-001

Objet: Aubert & Duval's commitment to ROHS3

Dear Madam/Sir,

Aubert & Duval hereby, ensures that our products do not contain, as of today's date, none of the 10 substances listed in the European RoHS directive 2015/863/EU in concentrations above the thresholds. Here is more detailed information about the contents of some residual elements in Aubert & Duval's tool steels:

- ~Mercury: tool steels do not contain this element because it vaporized at 375°C which is much below the melting temperature of steels.
- ~Hexavalent chromium: tool steels do not contain hexavalent chromium. In steels, chromium is contained as a metallic element or as carbides.
- ~Lead: this element is contained as traces in tool steels. The maximum content in our products is 0.005% (50ppm).
- ~Cadmium: this element is contained as traces in tool steels. The maximum content in our products is 0.002% (20ppm).

To assert that right, Yours sincerely.

Thierry ROUAULT

Quality Director

