



January 1, 2025

Subject: **EU Proposed Restriction of PFAS**

Dear Valued Business Partner:

Arrow Electronics, Inc. or one of its affiliates or wholly owned subsidiaries (collectively, "Arrow") is in receipt of your inquiry regarding the proposed restriction of perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances ("PFAS") in the European Union ("PFAS Restriction Proposal"), pursuant to the Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals regulation ("REACH"). It is Arrow's practice to respond to such matters through its corporate offices.

As a global provider of products, services, and solutions to industrial and commercial users, Arrow takes seriously its responsibility to ensure its businesses are in compliance with both the letter and spirit of all applicable laws and regulations, including those related to substances that are harmful to humans or the environment. The European Chemicals Agency ("ECHA"), through two scientific committees, is currently evaluating potential impacts of the PFAS Restriction Proposal on a sector-by-sector basis. This opinion making process is not expected to conclude until 2025 at the earliest, and subsequent procedural steps may take a number of years. Arrow continues to monitor developments relating to the PFAS Restriction Proposal and remains committed to meeting its obligations in a timely manner.

Arrow understands the importance of forward-looking compliance efforts to our business partners. For information on specific components, we suggest you contact SiliconExpert, a wholly owned subsidiary of Arrow, regarding their subscription and professional services offerings. SiliconExpert works directly with component manufacturers to obtain detail regarding substances contained in their products, offering customers the data they need to assess compliance with REACH and comparable regulations. Please contact sales@siliconexpert.com for more information.

For any additional inquiries regarding Arrow's compliance with regulations relating to PFAS, please reach out to compliance@arrow.com.

Thank you for your continued confidence in Arrow.

Sincerely,

Arrow Electronics, Inc.