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## Enquiry on radiation limits

Dear Madam or Sir,

we feel obliged to ensure the highest possible degree of safety for our customers and employees when handling our products. This of course includes screening products coming from critical countries for radioactive contamination.

According to the current events we purchased suitable test equipment and have regularly checked the goods received at our warehouses within the framework of our normal quality management to verify that the recommended limit values are complied with.

On account of the current developments we once again expanded these routine checks: All shipments will be tested up to 100%. In the light of recent events, we furthermore request our sub suppliers to check their outgoing goods accordingly and to absolutely comply with the international standards for radiation protection.

These measures are to make sure that you will only be supplied with products that are free from artificial radioactive substances (both as part of the products and as inherent contamination) within the meaning of § 2 German Atom Act in connection with Enclosure III of the German Radiation Protection Ordinance ([http://bundesrecht.juris.de/strlrschv\\_2001/index.html](http://bundesrecht.juris.de/strlrschv_2001/index.html)). This also applies to documents as well as packaging material and additional packaging

Additionally we have checked our supply chain for raw materials. Actually we get the confirmation from our sub suppliers that they are not affected by the situation in Japan. Nevertheless we increase our stock for raw materials which are originated from Japan to prevent any material shortage. If the situation will change, we will inform you just in time.

Considering our huge product portfolio we hope you will understand that a detailed discussion of all products and product components directly or indirectly linked to Japan will not be possible within the scope of this letter.

In case you should need further information on the measures taken please do not hesitate to contact our Environmental Management- Representative:

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