CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH HAZARD ASSESSMENT

SAFE DRINKING WATER AND TOXIC ENFORCEMENT ACT OF 1986
(Proposition 65)

NOTICE TO INTERESTED PARTIES
September 30, 2016

Chemical Listed Effective **September 30, 2016**
As Known To The State Of California To Cause Cancer:
Furfuryl Alcohol

Effective **September 30, 2016**, the Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA) is adding *furfuryl alcohol (CAS No. 98-00-0)* to the list of chemicals known to the state to cause cancer for purposes of Proposition 65[1].

The listing of *furfuryl alcohol* is based on formal identification by the US Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA), an authoritative body[2], that the chemical causes cancer. The criteria used by OEHHA for the listing of chemicals under the "authoritative bodies" mechanism can be found in Title 27, Cal. Code of Regs., section 25306.

The documentation supporting OEHHA's determination that the criteria for administrative listing have been satisfied for furfuryl alcohol is included in the "Notice of Intent to List Furfuryl Alcohol" posted on OEHHA's website and published in the July 31, 2015 issue of the California Regulatory Notice Register (Register 2015, No. 31-Z). The publication of the notice initiated a public comment period that closed on September 30, 2015. OEHHA received public comments on furfuryl alcohol. The comments and OEHHA's responses are posted with the Notice of Intent to List.

A complete, updated chemical list will be published in the October 14, 2016 issue of the *California Regulatory Notice Register* and is available on the OEHHA website at http://oehha.ca.gov/proposition-65/proposition-65-list.

In summary, furfuryl alcohol is listed under Proposition 65 as known to the state to cause cancer, as follows:

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[1] The Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986, Health and Safety Code section 25249.5 et seq.
[2] See Health and Safety Code section 25249.8(b) and Title 27, Cal. Code of Regs., section 25306.

Chemical	CAS No.	Endpoint	Listing Mechanism*
Furfuryl alcohol	98-00-0	Cancer	AB (US EPA)

*Listing mechanism: AB – "authoritative bodies" mechanism (Title 27, Cal. Code of Regs. section 25306).