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 JANUARY 3, 2025

CHEMICAL LISTED EFFECTIVE JANUARY 3, 2025

AS KNOWN TO THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE MALE REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY: BISPHENOL S (BPS)

Effective January 3, 2025, the Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA) is adding the male reproductive toxicity endpoint to the listing of bisphenol S (BPS) on the list of chemicals known to the State of California to cause reproductive toxicity under the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986, sections 25249.5 et seq. of the Health and Safety Code, otherwise known as Proposition 65. BPS was first placed on the Proposition 65 list for reproductive toxicity, based on the female reproductive endpoint, on December 29, 2023.

At a public meeting on December 12, 2024, the Developmental and Reproductive Toxicant Identification Committee (DARTIC) in its official capacity as the "state's qualified experts" determined that BPS was clearly shown, through scientifically valid testing according to generally accepted principles, to cause male reproductive toxicity. Regulations for the listing of chemicals by the DARTIC are set out in Title 27, California Code of Regulations, section 25305(b)(1).

A complete, updated Proposition 65 chemical list is available on the OEHHA website.