



THE LEADING MANUFACTURER OF
WIRE & CABLE PREPARATION TOOLS

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Re: RoHS 3 DIRECTIVE 2015/863 and China RoHS-Administrative Measure on the Control of Pollution Caused by Electronic Information Products

In response to the global proliferation of RoHS standards and especially in response to the European Union's RoHS3 Directive 2015/863, and China's Administrative Measure on the Control of Pollution Caused by Electronic Information Products, Ripley has taken steps to reduce or eliminate all banned substances cited in these regulations.

These directives specifically apply to electrical and electronic equipment including any cable or wiring used with such equipment. Directive 215/863 was established to prohibit the sale of equipment containing certain hazardous substances including; lead, cadmium, mercury, hexavalent chromium, polybrominated biphenyls (PBB), polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDE) and DEHP/BBP/DBP/DIBP phthalates, in the European Union. While Ripley's offering of hand operated cable and wire preparation tools is not specifically covered by these directives, Ripley has moved voluntarily to eliminate any banned substances known to be in use.

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