

Statement of Conformity - RoHS 2002/95/EC and WEEE

The **Restriction of Hazardous Substances Directive 2002/95/EC (RoHS)**, was adopted in February 2003 by the European Union. The RoHS directive took effect on 1 July 2006, and is required to be enforced and become law in each European member state. This directive restricts (with exceptions) the use of six hazardous materials in the manufacture of various types of electronic and electrical equipment. It is closely linked with the **Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment Directive (WEEE) 2002/96/EC** which sets collection, recycling and recovery targets for electrical goods and is part of a legislative initiative to solve the problem of huge amounts of toxic electronic waste.

The ADL Embedded Solutions status for each of the six RoHS substances is given below:

- PBB and PBDE: Not applicable to ADL
- Mercury: Not applicable to ADL
- Cadmium: Is present in Ni-Cd batteries distributed by ADL for CPU RTC applications. However, batteries are presently outside the scope of the RoHS directive.
- Hexavalent chromium: Can sometimes be present in anodized coatings, but is not used on ADL chassis and enclosure products.
- Lead: Not applicable to any CPU or peripheral products designed and manufactured by ADL Embedded Solutions. It can sometimes be present in 3rd party peripheral from US-based vendors, but they are specifically restricted by ADL Embedded Solutions from export to the European Union.

Additionally, all cable products and COTS chassis products designed and manufactured by ADL Embedded Solutions are RoHS compliant.

ADL Embedded Solutions, Inc. is committed to the helping protect the environment in the global communities within which we live and serve. This is accomplished through a variety of methods including responsible manufacturing, recycling programs, and through helping our customers meet their environmental protection responsibilities via directives such as RoHS, REACH and WEEE. We take these responsibilities seriously, and stand ready to work hand-in-hand with our customers and our communities to ensure a clean and prosperous future for us all.

Sincerely,



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