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## California Prop 65 Warning Requirements

Please be advised that new regulations under California's Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986, more commonly known as "Prop 65", become operative on August 30, 2018.

Spears<sup>®</sup> products are available in various sizes, quantities and package configurations making it impractical to label each individual part with the Prop 65 warning. Due to this, sales of Spears<sup>®</sup> products to California customers will need to provide a point-of-sale warning for those products that require Prop 65 labeling. These point-of-sale warnings are necessary for our PVC and CPVC pipe, valves and fittings.

Spears<sup>®</sup> products containing leaded brass are subject to additional Prop 65 regulation, except where Certified by NSF International to be lead-free.

The various warning types are below. For Spears<sup>®</sup> Distributors, these will need to be printed and placed where they will be visible to your customers in your California locations. The signs should be no smaller than  $5 \times 5$  inches and printed in no smaller than 20-point type. Spears<sup>®</sup> distributors that offer Spears<sup>®</sup> products sold on the web are <u>not</u> exempt from this regulation and should comply accordingly.

## **PVC and CPVC Pipe, Fittings and Valves**

WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals, including Titanium Dioxide and Carbon Black (only when airborne as unbound particles of respirable size), which are known to the State of California to cause Cancer. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

## Fittings containing leaded brass except where Certified by NSF International<sup>®</sup> to be "lead-free"

WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals, including Titanium Dioxide (only when airborne as unbound particles of respirable size) which are known to the State of California to cause Cancer; and Lead, which are known to the State of California to cause Cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

## Products with O-rings and gaskets are subject to the following California Prop 65 regulation:

WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals, including Carbon Black (only when airborne as unbound particles of respirable size), which are known to the State of California to cause Cancer. For more information go to <u>www.P65Warnings.ca.gov</u>.