

September 21<sup>st</sup>, 2023

**Subject: Repligen PFAS (Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances) Position Statement**

Dear Customer,

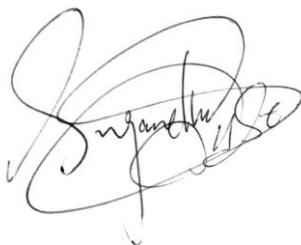
Similar to the EU ECHA's Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) and California Proposition 65 (Cal Prop 65) regulations, Repligen requires all of our suppliers to comply with appropriate regulations that currently restrict substances of very high concern (SVHC.) Repligen is constantly monitoring our supply chain and products for any applicable changes related to global regulatory updates.

The proposed Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) restriction in the EU and US will have a large impact on the use of fluoropolymers. Fluoropolymers possess a combination of properties which result in unmatched functional performance critical to products and biomanufacturing processes. Though these polymers have low risk properties, are thermally, biologically, and chemically stable and have the ability to repel oil and water, they may be banned.

Based on the currently available information, some specific PFAS or families have been included in long-standing regulations such as REACH SVHC, EU REACH Annex XVII, US CA Prop 65, etc.

Repligen is in the process of collecting information from our suppliers and determining appropriate next steps in preparation of the upcoming PFAS regulations.

Sincerely,



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