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Dear Customer:

California Proposition 65 became law in 1986 as the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act, and was established to provide a right-to-know process for products entering the marketplace in that state. Prop 65 (as it is commonly known) requires that manufacturers alert the consumer when a finished product contains a chemical or chemical compound known to the State of California to cause cancer and/or reproductive harm. Intentional introduction of restricted chemicals must not exceed safe harbor levels in the finished product without disclosure through warning labels. With its global suppliers, the Founder Sport Group (Badger Sport and the affiliated label C2, Alleson, and Garb) is committed to providing this right-to-know information to the consumer.

Through testing of finished products by accredited third-party laboratories, there is no current evidence that Prop 65 Warnings, in any form, are required. Absence of restricted or banned chemicals in the finished product is controlled at the beginning of the manufacturing process. Founder Sport Group will continue to monitor chemical compliance for its suppliers. Any changes in chemicals, raw materials, or procedures for the Founder Sport Group will require additional third-party testing and certification. No chemical that would prove harmful to the consumer in Founder Sport Group finished products is approved for use in manufacturing. Note that alteration of any product by the consumer (screenprinting, addition of metal or plastic ornamentation, for example) is subject to testing by the consumer for compliance with Prop 65 regulations, and is not the responsibility of Founder Sport Group.

Chemical restrictions are subject to change, and the Founder Sport Group will monitor new information for these restrictions as they become available and determine the need for testing. Through representative periodic testing, safety is assured for the consumer as well as our employees. Avoidance of harmful chemicals in the finished product assures that the human-ecological status is secure for our valued customers.

If you have any questions or comments concerning Badger, C2, Alleson, or Garb products and safety compliance, you may contact our Customer Service Representatives at 1-800-868-0105.