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## Harbour Industries Canada Ltd vs the restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)

The ROHS directive is incomplete and has not been finalized. They have not established the threshold limits of each hazardous substances. In September 2004, a set of limits were proposed to the Technical Committee, however there was no qualified majority in favor of the proposal. According to procedural rules the proposal is then submitted to the Council for a decision. If the Council does not act within three months the limits will be adopted.

Our goal is to be fully compliant with the RoHS standard by July 2005 (RoHS directive is not to be implemented until July 2006). Once thresholds are established, we will be able to provide documents certifying that our products are compliant to the registration. It is already possible to confirm that some of our products don't have any of the restricted substances. A document will confirm these products.

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