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To: All users of Matrix Products
Subject: Heavy Metals in Matrix Products

It has been brought to our attention that the labels on our toners have caused issues during Compliance Officer visits. One label is used on all our toner cans and it states **“WARNING! HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. MAY CONTAIN LEAD. DRIED FILM OF THIS PAINT MAY BE HARMFUL IF CHEWED OR SWALLOWED.”** This statement only applies to the following toners: **MT-17, MT-18, MT-39** and **MT-43**. These toners contain lead and/or chromate. All other toners do not contain lead, chromium, mercury, manganese, nickel or cadmium at reportable levels. In addition to these items there are four primers that contain lead and chrome – **MP-400, MP-900, MP-550** and **MP-600**. All other primers do not contain lead, chrome, mercury, manganese, nickel or cadmium at reportable levels. All of our clearcoats do not contain lead, chrome, mercury, manganese, nickel or cadmium at reportable levels.

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