



## Proposition 65

Dear Customer,

You may wonder why we have warnings on our products regarding the presence of lead and possible health effects. We provide these warnings in order to comply with a California law known as Proposition 65.

Manley Industries products comply with all laws and regulations in the markets in which we sell, including laws that regulate product safety and toxic substances, but Proposition 65 is quite different from other laws; it does not regulate product safety, whether any particular substance can be used in a product, or the amount of any substance that can be in a product. What it requires is that companies provide warnings of the presence of many common substances in their products, including lead, even if these substances are present in trace amounts that are perfectly safe. The California agencies that work with this law say that it is a “right to know” law and that “A Proposition 65 warning does not necessarily mean a product is in violation of any product-safety standards or requirements.”

Proposition 65 potentially applies to all products sold in California, even if they reach the state by indirect means. Because we cannot control the distribution of our products after they leave our hands, we have elected to apply Proposition 65 warning labels to all of our products because most fishing tools and products have a potential to contain trace amounts of lead or other substances that are subject to Proposition 65. Whether or not you live in California, it is always good practice to wash your hands after handling or working with any tools.

The Proposition 65 warnings we apply to our products may be in several forms, depending upon the product and its packaging, including those shown below:

 **WARNING:** This product can expose you to chemicals, including lead, which are known to the State of California to cause cancer and reproductive harm. For more information go to [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov).

 **WARNING:** Cancer and Reproductive Harm – [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov).

**WARNING:** This product contains chemicals, including lead, known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm. Wash hands after handling.

If you distribute or resell Manley Industries, even if you only sell occasionally online, it is your obligation to keep these warnings on the product packaging and to pass them along to your customers by appropriate means. If you sell in stores located in California, you must sell the product with the warnings on the box or packaging. If you sell into California on the internet or through catalogs, there are special requirements for providing these warnings to your customers before they complete their purchase transaction. See Title 27, California Code of Regulations, sections 25600 through 25607, and particularly section 25602, for details.

Thank you.