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January 29, 2026

By Certified U.S. Mail

Kosmetika Beauty Supplies LLC  
dba Kosmetikare; Milagros Cosmetics  
Attn: Erika Maestre  
8415 Carob Street  
Fontana, CA 92335

**RE: 60-Day Notice of Violation of the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65) & Demand for Supply Chain Identification**

To Whom It May Concern:

This firm represents the Mercury Policy Project (“Noticing Party”) in connection with this notice of violation of California’s Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986, which is codified at California Health & Safety Code section 25249.5, et seq. (“Proposition 65”). The Mercury Policy Project is a non-profit that works to promote policies to eliminate mercury uses, reduce the export and trafficking of mercury, and significantly reduce mercury exposures at the local, national, and international levels. This letter constitutes notice to the addressees that they have violated and continue to violate provisions of Proposition 65 and its implementing regulations. Specifically, the alleged violator, Kosmetika Beauty Supplies LLC (dba Kosmetikare; Milagros Cosmetics) (“Violator”) to which this letter is addressed, has violated and continues to violate the warning requirement of California Health & Safety Code section 25249.6.

Pursuant to California Health & Safety Code section 25249.7, subdivision (d), the Noticing Party, as defined in that section, intends to bring an enforcement action against the Violator sixty (60) days after effective service of this notice unless the public enforcement agencies listed in the attached Certificate of Service have commenced and are diligently prosecuting an action to rectify these same violations. A summary of Proposition 65 and its implementing regulations, prepared by the Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment, the lead agency designated under Proposition 65, is enclosed with the copy of this notice served to the Violator. The specific details of the violations that are the subject of this notice are provided below.

**Description of Violations**

The Violator has contravened the warning requirement of California Health and Safety Code section 25249.6 which provides that, “[no] person in the course of doing business shall knowingly and intentionally expose any individual to a chemical known to the state to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity without first giving a clear and reasonable warning to such individual.” The Violator has manufactured, produced, packaged, imported, supplied, distributed, sold or otherwise provided the consumer product containing mercury and mercury compounds listed below directly to consumers through

the Violator's website without providing the clear and reasonable warnings required by Proposition 65 and its implementing regulations.

- Time Period of Exposure: The violations have been occurring since at least January 29, 2023, and are continuing each day through the present.
- Provision of Proposition 65 Implicated: This Notice of Violation covers the warning provision of Proposition 65, which is found at California Health and Safety Code section 25249.6, and its implementing regulations.
- Chemical Involved: The listed chemical involved in this notice of violation is mercury and mercury compounds (“**Mercury**”). Mercury is recognized by the State of California as a developmental toxin.
- Types of Products: The specific type of products causing the violations are skin-lightening, whitening, and/or brightening cosmetics containing 1 ppm or more of mercury or mercury compounds (“**Products**”), including but not limited to the product specifically listed below in **Table 1.**<sup>1</sup>

**Table 1: Exemplar Products**

Product	Product Image	Seller
Nunn Care Cleansing Cream		Kosmetika Beauty Supplies LLC via <a href="http://www.kosmetikare.com">www.kosmetikare.com</a>

Description of Exposures: This Notice addresses consumer product exposures to mercury and mercury compounds resulting from the acquisition, purchase, storage, consumption, or reasonably foreseeable use of the Products. Mercury is an additive or active ingredient in such cosmetics. Use of the Products, including the exemplar listed above in Table 1, results in human exposures to Mercury.<sup>2</sup> Mercury exposure occurs through three main routes: ingestion, inhalation, or dermal absorption. Ingestion may occur post-application due to insufficient hand washing prior to eating or preparing food or touching of the mouth. Inhalation may occur due to the significant amount of mercury vapor produced by use of these Products, which can affect all household members. Dermal absorption may occur as these Products are designed and specifically marketed for direct contact with skin. These exposures occur in residences and businesses throughout California where the Products are used.

No clear and reasonable warning is provided with these Products regarding the developmental toxicity of using these Products or specifically of exposure to mercury.

<sup>1</sup> Additionally, a list of Products for which public health notices identify Mercury content is included as **Exhibit A**.

<sup>2</sup> These products are also illegal adulterated cosmetics sold in violation of Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and its implementing regulations, (see 21 U.S.C. § 301 *et seq.*; 21 C.F.R. § 700.13(d)), and California's Sherman Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Law (See Health & Saf. Code, §§ 111670, 111700.)

Pursuant to California Code of Regulations, title 11, section 3100, a Certificate of Merit is attached.<sup>3</sup>

### **Resolution of Claims Being Noticed**

Based on the allegations set forth in this Notice, the Noticing Party intends to file a citizen enforcement lawsuit against the Violator unless they agree to remedy the violations set forth above. If the Violator is interested in resolving this dispute without resort to expensive and time-consuming litigation, please contact the Noticing Party through its counsel identified below.

### **Preservation of Relevant Evidence**

This Notice also serves as a demand that the Violator preserve and maintain all relevant evidence, including all electronic documents and data, pending resolution of this matter. Such relevant evidence includes, but is not limited to, all documents relating to mercury released from or during the storage, shipment, and use of the Products; purchases and sales information for the Products; communications with any person relating to actual or potential exposures to mercury from the use of the Products; representative exemplars of each unit of any of the brand listed above in Table 1 or included in Exhibit A sold since January 29, 2023; the content of internet displays for any Product(s); and all communications regarding the alleged violations.

### **Parties**

This Notice is provided on behalf of the following organization:

Mercury Policy Project, a Project of the Tides Center  
Responsible Individual: Michael Bender  
1420 North Street  
Montpelier, VT 05602  
(802) 223-9000

The Noticing Parties are represented and can be contacted through counsel:

Rachel Doughty  
Greenfire Law, PC  
2748 Adeline Street, Suite A  
Berkeley, CA 94703  
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### **Demand for Supply Chain Contacts**

Pursuant to California Code of Regulations title 27, article 6, section 25600.2, subdivision (g) you must promptly provide Mercury Policy Project (through its counsel) with the names and contact information for each of the manufacturers, producers, packagers, importers, suppliers, and distributors of each Product, including the Product listed above in Table 1 and those included in Exhibit A. **We expect to receive this information within a week.**

Sincerely,



Rachel S. Doughty

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<sup>3</sup> A copy of this entire notice and Certificate of Merit is being served on the Attorney General, clearly marked "Attorney General Copy: Contains Official Information Pursuant to Evidence Code Section 1040" with all supporting documentation required by 11 Cal. Code Regs., § 3102 attached thereto.

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Attachments:

- Certificate of Merit (All Recipients)
- Exhibit A, List of Known SLPs (Image-copy to Violator)
- Exhibit A1, List of Known SLPs (Text-copy to All Public Enforcement Agencies)
- Exhibit B, *The Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65): A Summary* (“Summary”) (Violator Only)
- Certificate of Merit Support (Attorney General Only)
- Certificate of Service (All Recipients)

**Certificate of Merit**  
**(California Health & Safety Code Section 25249.7, Subdivision (d))**

I, Rachel Doughty, hereby declare:

- 1) This Certificate of Merit accompanies the attached sixty-day notice(s) in which it is alleged the party identified in the notice has violated Health and Safety Code section 25249.6 by failing to provide clear and reasonable warnings.
- 2) I am the attorney for the noticing party.
- 3) I have consulted with one or more persons with relevant and appropriate experience or expertise who have reviewed facts, studies, or other data regarding the exposure to the listed chemical that is the subject of the action.
- 4) Based on the information obtained through those consultations, and on all other information in my possession, I believe there is a reasonable and meritorious case for the private action. I understand that "reasonable and meritorious case for the private action" means that the information provides a credible basis that all elements of the plaintiff's case can be established and the information did not prove that the alleged violators will be able to establish any of the affirmative defenses set forth in the statute.
- 5) The copy of this Certificate of Merit served on the Attorney General attaches to it factual information sufficient to establish the basis for this certificate, including the information identified in Health and Safety Code section 25249.7(h)(2), i.e., (1) the identity of the persons consulted with and relied on by the certifier, and (2) the facts, studies, or other data reviewed by those persons.

Dated: January 29, 2026

By:   
Rachel S. Doughty  
GREENFIRE LAW, PC

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Jessica San Luis, declare that I am over the age of 18 years, and am not a party to the within action. I am employed in the County of Alameda. My business address is 2748 Adeline Street, Suite A, Berkeley, California 94703. Documents served:

On January 29, 2026, I served the following documents: **60-Day Notice of Violation of Proposition 65 & Demand for Supply Chain Identification; Certificate of Merit; Exhibit A - List of Known SLPs; Exhibit B – Proposition 65 Summary** on the party listed below by placing a true and correct copy thereof in a sealed envelope, and depositing it with the United States Postal Service with postage fully paid:

*Via Certified Mail*

Kosmetika Beauty Supplies LLC  
dba Kosmetikare; Milagros Cosmetics  
Attn: Erika Maestre  
8415 Carob Street  
Fontana, CA 92335

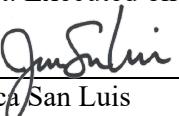
On January 29, 2026, I served the following documents: **60-Day Notice of Violation of Proposition 65 & Demand for Supply Chain Identification; Certificate of Merit with Index of Exhibits; Exhibit A1 - List of Known SLPs (text only)** on the parties listed below by uploading a true and correct copy thereof as a PDF file via the California Attorney General's website:

*Via California Attorney General Portal*  
Attorney General Rob Bonta  
<https://oag.ca.gov/prop65/add-60-day-notice>

On January 29, 2026, I served the following documents: **60-Day Notice of Violation of Proposition 65 & Demand for Supply Chain Identification; Certificate of Merit; Exhibit A1 - List of Known SLPs (text only)** on the parties listed below by placing a true and correct copy thereof in a sealed envelope, addressed to each party and depositing it with the United States Postal Service with postage fully paid:

### **See Attached Service List**

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above is true and correct. Executed on January 29, 2026, in Berkeley, California.

  
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Jessica San Luis

## SERVICE LIST

*Via Regular Mail*

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