

To whom it may concern,

We understand that many leading organizations use Healthier Hospitals (HH) to guide their product specification process and design healthier spaces. We seek to offer products that are aligned with the Healthier Hospitals “Safer Chemicals” Challenge. This letter serves as a declaration regarding the following products:

**Ayre Bench**  
**Kilo Islands\***  
**Nimbus\***  
**Plasma\***  
**Prism\***

Hightower confirms that to the best of our knowledge and based on information from our suppliers, the products meet all the standards of HH’s “Safer Chemicals” Challenge, including the expectations that a product:

- Contains no intentionally-added chemical flame retardants at or above the 1,000 ppm level in homogenous material (and complies with California Technical Bulletin 117-2013);
- Contains no chemical antimicrobials, unless added to materials or products for the sole purpose of preserving the product;
- Contains no long- and/or short-chain per- and poly-fluorinated alkyl compounds (PFCs) and no fluorinated polymers used as stain, water, or oil resistant treatments;
- Contains less than 1% (one percent) of polyvinyl chloride (PVC) by weight, excluding electrical components; and
- Complies with the ANSI/BIFMA e3-2014 Furniture Sustainability Standard, Sections 7.6.1 and 7.6.2.

\*Optional Retractable Power Unit was not vetted

It is essential that any fabric applied to these products (whether COM or Graded-In) be vetted separately for HH compliance.

Furniture described herein meets the Healthy Interiors goal of the Safer Chemicals Challenge according to the manufacturer. Practice Greenhealth does not verify this information.

Signed,

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