## HANTRONIX UPDATE ON RoHS

Hantronix promotes the reduction of pollution and toxic e-waste in our environment. In response to Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS) – EU Directive 2002/95/EC, Hantronix is on track to comply with this EU Directive. The RoHS, EU Directive, calls out the restriction on the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical or electronic equipment sold or used in the European Union after July 1, 2006. The substances are lead, mercury, cadmium, hexavalent chromium, polybrominated biphenyls, and polybrominated diphenyl ethers (Pb, Cr+6, Hg, Cd, PBB, PBDE).

Hantronix conversion to RoHS compliant LCD modules and panels has already taken place and we will meet our goal of 100% compliance very soon. Most of our character type LCD modules and some graphics type LCD modules which we are shipping today are already RoHS compliant. Pb free solder is already being used in our production lines. In production of LCD modules and panels, Hantronix has already switched over to the use of RoHS compliant parts and material such as ITO glass, polarizer, PCB, FPC, IC's, electronic components, connectors, and backlight.

Hantronix is currently shipping both RoHS and non-RoHS compliant LCD modules. Again, the conversion is ongoing. With the use-up and depletion of certain non-RoHS compliant parts and material, it is Hantronix plan to only produce 100% RoHS compliant LCD modules from 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter, 2006.

Hantronix is already shipping RoHS compliant LCD modules right now. Hantronix plan is to produce 100% RoHS compliant LCD modules from 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter, 2006 in all LCD models.

If you should have any question on RoHS compliant status of Hantronix LCD modules, please contact your local Hantronix Sales Representative.