

September 22, 2016

Re: Declaration for SimplyGo, SimplyGo Mini, and EverGo Lithium-Ion Batteries

To whom it may concern:

We hereby certify that the Lithium-ion Batteries used in the products specified below comply with the following requirement identified in the IATA Lithium Battery Guidance Document which is based on the provisions set out in the 2015-2016 Edition of ICAO Technical Instruction for the Safe Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air and the 57th Edition of the IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR):

Product	Detachable Battery	Internal Battery
SimplyGo	x	
EverGo	x	
SimplyGo Mini	x	

2.3.4.7 Lithium Battery-Powered Electronic Devices

Lithium battery-powered electronic devices are permitted in checked and carry-on baggage with the approval of the operator as follows:

(a) Portable medical electronic devices (Automated External Defibrillators (AED), Nebulizer, Continuous Positive Airway Pressure (CPAP), etc.) containing lithium metal or lithium ion cells or batteries may be carried by passengers for medical use as follows:

3. Batteries must be of a type that meets the requirements of the UN Manual of Tests and Criteria, Part III, subsection 38.3.

In addition, as of February 22, 2016 the International Air Transport Association adopted the recommendation of the ICAO Air Navigation Commission that for an interim basis Lithium Ion Batteries are forbidden to be transported as cargo on passenger aircraft effective April 1, 2016. This prohibition only applies to stand alone Lithium Ion batteries as defined by UN 3480, Packing Instruction 965 and does not apply to Lithium Ion Batteries packed with devices or contained within devices.

This IATA ruling does not impact the ability of air travel passengers to carry spare batteries for their medical devices. This interim prohibition only applies to packages for shipment and transport that contain standalone Lithium Ion Batteries. Per the Federal Aviation Association (FAA) of the United States spare or standalone Lithium Ion batteries can be carried by passengers during air travel via carry-on baggage only. Per the 57th edition of the IATA

Dangerous Goods Regulations, each installed or spare lithium ion battery must not exceed a watt-hour rating of not more than 100 Watt Hours (Wh).

Each lithium-ion battery used in SimplyGo and EverGo has a Watt Hour (Wh) rating of approximately 95Wh. The SimplyGo Mini device can be used with either a Standard or Extended lithium-ion battery. Both of these batteries meet the 100Wh rating. The SimplyGo Mini Standard Battery has a Watt-hour rating of approximately 98Wh. The SimplyGo Mini Extended Battery is composed of two SimplyGo Mini Standard Batteries. Each battery in the Extended Battery pack individually charges and discharges, is individually tested, and has its own internal protection independent of the other battery. Therefore the two standard batteries (approximately 98Wh each) are considered two separate batteries. All the Lithium Ion batteries used for SimplyGo, EverGo, and SimplyGo Mini, including the extended battery, are within the 100 Wh power limit for passengers to carry-on board aircrafts. Passengers are permitted to carry-on more than one Lithium Ion battery, as long as the battery does not exceed 100Wh.

These Lithium-ion batteries have successfully passed the test procedures of Part III, Sub-Section 38.3 of the UN Manual of Tests and Criteria. The batteries are completely enclosed by inner packaging to prevent short circuit.

Before you fly, contact all of your airlines on each of your connecting flights for clarification as to what can be transported via Carry-on and Checked Baggage. Airlines have different policies and it is recommended to request permission to carry your device on board.

This package must be handled with care. The cell/battery is completely enclosed by inner packaging to prevent short circuit. A flammability hazard may exist if the package becomes damaged. Do not damage or mishandle this package. If package is damaged, batteries must be quarantined, inspected and repacked.

In case of incident, accident and/or damage please follow the steps listed in the Material Safety Data Sheet for Transportation, First Aid, General Safety Recommendations and Fire Safety.

For more information, please refer to either the SimplyGo, SimplyGo Mini, or the EverGo User Instruction Manual for more detailed information regarding the set-up, performance parameters, technical specifications and maintenance of the device and batteries.

If you have any questions regarding the products listed above and lithium-ion batteries, please contact your local Philips representative

Sincerely,



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