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Aquatherm Brass Valves

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The brass-bodied valves offered in the Aquatherm 2014 catalog are not intended for use in potable water systems as they do not meet the new zero-lead requirements which went into effect January 1, 2014. These valves include the brass/PP-R ball valve, the screw-down stop globe valves, the draining branch valve, the chrome plated concealed valves, the inclined valves and the inclined check valves. These valves may still be used in mechanical/hydraulic systems and other applications where the new zero-lead requirements are not applicable.

Aquatherm recommends the use of the PP-R body valves which are fully compliant with the new “lead-free” definition. If a zero-lead brass bodied valve is required for use in a potable water application, other arrangements will need to be made such as using a 3rd-party threaded valve and threaded adapter fittings.