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The EPA's Safer Choice Program focuses on chemistry and identifying safer chemicals and evaluates the human health and environmental characteristics of chemicals. When the Safer Choice label appears on a product, it means that EPA has screened each ingredient in the product for potential human health and environmental effects and that - based on hazard and risk information, the latest models and predictive tools, and expert scientific judgment – the product contains only those ingredients that pose the least concern among chemicals in their class. Third party profilers compile all hazard information available on each chemical and include detailed structure, physical-chemical properties, human health and environmental toxicology, and regulatory/administrative status. These profiles are reviewed by EPA scientists and experts to determine whether or not the product meets the Safer Choice Standard. ChemFree's BT5 Ready to Use Degreasing Solution met these rigorous standards and now proudly displays the Safer Choice label.

ChemFree Corporation, founded in 1993 and acquired by CRC Industries in 2015, is located in Norcross, GA. ChemFree manufactures the patented CRC SmartWasher® Bioremediating Parts Washing System, an alternative method to cleaning vehicle and maintenance parts without harming humans or the environment. The CRC SmartWasher® system consists of the SmartWasher® parts washer equipment, OzzyJuice® Degreasing Solutions, and OzzyMat® microbe-impregnated filters. The combination of these products, "the system," allows the user to eliminate or dramatically reduce waste streams, the expense of hazardous waste removal, and associated liabilities. Uniting superior performance and environmental responsibility, the SmartWasher® product line is sold in more than 40 countries worldwide.

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