



Multi Bauelemente Service
Vertrieb von elektronischen Bauelementen GmbH
(Hereinafter referred to as MBS)

REACH - Information along the Supply Chain

REACH - Registration, Classification, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals

The REACH (Regulation (EC) No. 1607/2006) entered into force as of 1 June 2007 with the aim to shape and improve the European Union's existing legal framework concerning chemicals more efficiently. Within the framework of REACH, more responsibility is placed on the industry with respect to the restriction of risks that could be posed to humans and the environment.

Basically, all chemicals fall within the scope of the REACH Regulation: not only chemicals that are used in the industry, but also those used in daily life, such as detergents, dyes or even goods like clothing, furniture and electronic devices. It applies to all companies from all sectors operating within the EU. Essentially, the responsibility for the safe handling of chemicals is transferred to the manufacturers of these chemicals. Within the scope of this regulation, the manufacturers of these chemicals are to be encouraged and in some cases even forced to replace chemicals of concern by chemicals of less concern or to abstain from using them at all.

Further information on REACH can be viewed under the "ECHA Portal" of the EU.

Candidate List

The European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) published the first list of substances of very high concern (SVHC) on 28 October 2008 and **made the most recent addition to it on 19 January 2021**. Substances of very high concern are classified as hazardous. Since this list has been published, downstream users must be informed about any concentration exceeding 0.1 % of the product weight of substances of very high concern, or the substances of very high concern must at least be specified.

General Information on Substances of Very High Concern

At the moment, we do not yet know whether the 211 substances specified in the "candidate list" are contained in our supplier's products which we deliver to our customers. Hygroscopes and desiccant bags (silica gel) possibly be included in a delivery may contain cobalt dichloride (CAS#7646-79-9, EINECS#23 1-589-4).

REACH - Statement by MBS

Multi-Bauelemente-Service GmbH, Römerstraße 8, 85661 Forstinning, who acts on behalf of its partner companies and subsidiaries, is fully aware of the requirements stipulated by REACH and complies with its tasks and duties to the best of its knowledge and belief.

1. MBS is a distributor of electronic components.
2. MBS confirms that we accept our obligations within the framework of REACH, either as distributors or importers of electronic components.
3. MBS has its registered office within the EU. For those of our suppliers who are also based within the EU, we act as distributors. Therefore, our suppliers have to comply with the obligations set up by REACH. For those based outside the EU, we act as importers and are subject to all obligations that apply to us.
4. MBS does not intend to pre-register or register any substances because we do not sell any components containing hazardous substances, the use of which must be authorised. Therefore, pre-registration or registration is not required.
5. MBS is in contact with all its suppliers (based within or outside the EU) in order to receive correct information and ensure the availability of electronic components.
6. MBS monitors all further obligations regarding Annex XIV ("Candidate List") and Annex XVII ("Restriction of Substances").
7. The existing "candidate list" was published on 28 October 2008 and **amended for the last time on 19 January 2021**. At the moment, we do not yet know whether the 211 substances specified in the "candidate list" are contained in the products delivered by us, because our suppliers have not yet completed their evaluations. We will inform you immediately as soon as we have received feedback from our suppliers as to whether any chemicals of very high concern specified in the candidate list are contained in the products you buy from us.

Information may be changed without prior notice. Actually valid information is exclusively available via the Internet.

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