

INFORMATION DIRECTIVE EUROPEAN REACH

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The European directive concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemical Substances (REACH), EC No. 1907/2006, has been in effect since June 1, 2007. Its objective is the minimization of environmental and health risks related to the use of chemicals.

Pursuant to REACH, our company is a so-called Downstream User. Under normal and reasonably foreseeable conditions, our products do not release any chemicals and based on the current information we have on hand, our products do not contain any substances of very high concern (SVHC) based on the list of potential candidates issued by the European Chemicals Agency (ECHA).

Our company is intensively engaged in the implementation of REACH. We have compiled a register of substances, that lists all substances and compositions we use. Moreover, we are in close contact with our suppliers to constantly inquire about the registration status of the substances they use and the potential impact of any changes to the list of candidates.

To ensure that our customers and the members of our supply chain can always enjoy optimum services, we have commissioned

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