

## Compliance declaration REACH

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### Compliance declaration for REACH regulation (1907/2006/EU)

Micropower Group has the role of a "downstream user" and a "producer of articles" according to Article 3 of REACH. Therefore, Micropower is not required to register any chemical substances according to REACH. For chemical substances and mixtures used in the production of the articles, Micropower ensures that they fulfil the requirements according to REACH such as:

- Application of Substances Exposure Scenario
- Authorization of Use according to Annex XIV
- Restriction of Use according to Annex XVII

Micropower Group is also engaged to meet the legal obligations under REACH for our manufactured articles to be compliant. That includes:

- Assessment of presence of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)
- Communication along the supply chain to suppliers and customers
- Assess Restriction of Use according to Annex XVII

According to Article 57 of REACH, substances of very high concern, so called SVHC-substances, can be included on Annex XIV, and hence become subject to authorization. However, before the substances are included on Annex XIV they are listed on the so called "candidate list" of substances of very high concern. The list can be viewed at: <http://echa.europa.eu/candidate-list-table>

Article 33 stipulates the "duty to communicate information on substances in articles". This means that any supplier of an article shall provide sufficient information to the recipient, if a candidate list substance is present in a concentration above 0.1% (w/w) in any part that itself is an article, to allow safe use of the article, as a minimum the name of the substance. The Waste-frame directive (2008/98/EU) supplements with notification to SCIP-database.

Articles from Micropower Group occasionally contains Candidate-list substances in a content above 0.1%. We then fulfil the obligation to inform our customers. And we also fulfil the obligation to notify in SCIP-database and provides SCIP-number for our customers. This is communicated through Micropowers webpage.

Micropower Group assess changes in Annex XVII and try to anticipate our customers use of our products and any restrictions this entails. However, it is our customers duty to certify that the restriction can be hold for their specific use.

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