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Statement REACH (Registration, Evaluation and Authorisation of Chemicals) Regulations

All products manufactured by Castell Safety International Ltd. do not contain any substances that exceed the concentrations outlined in the REACH Regulations. Therefore it is not necessary for our Company to carry out any pre-registration for chemical substance.

At present we are working with our suppliers to ensure that they have pre-registered with European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) in accordance with the REACH regulations.

To the best of our knowledge the components that are supplied to your company do not contain any of the substances of very high concern.

Subject: The EC Regulation 1907/2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals ("REACH Regulation")

We can confirm that, to date, all substances contained within our products have been pre-registered either by our supplier, or by their upstream suppliers. We do not foresee any disruption in the supply of our products as a direct result of REACH, but we will inform you if the situation changes. We have evaluated that we comply with both UK & EU REACH.

We are closely monitoring the SVHC candidate list https://echa.europa.eu/candidate-list-table

As an ongoing due diligence exercise we continually undertake a detailed review of the material content across our full product range.

At present we can confirm that <u>none of the actual SVHC and Intention chemicals</u> are present in our product. We are however also aware that, as ECHA add any new substance to the SVHC list in the future, we have a continuing obligation to keep ourselves informed of the addition of substances, as well as communicate any impact to our product as necessary in a timely manner that is compliant to the REACH downstream user communication requirement.

Neal Partridge Head of Compliance

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