

RCD REACH & Annex XVII Statement SVHC-233 and Annex XVII-71

The European Chemical Agency (ECHA) publishes the Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) Candidate and Annex XVII Restricted Substances (RS) Lists, adopted within the framework of REACH. When adding a substance to either List, REACH imposes immediate obligations on manufacturers and importers to declare, if present, these substances in their products. Article 33(1) of the REACH Regulation states that manufacturers and importers of articles (products) are required to notify their customers of any SVHC presence exceeding 0.10% by weight in their products, and provide instructions on safe product use. Annex XVII follows similar protocols; however, with varying percentage (%) by weight limits, "condition of restriction" defines the use of each RS.

RCD Components declares that none of the SVHCs or RSs in the ECHA published lists are present in quantities, greater than 0.10% or per "condition of restriction", respectively, in our standard products described on the RCD Components website: www.RCDcomponents.com

Please contact RCD directly (rohs@rcdcomponents.com) if you have any questions regarding this certification.

The current and latest ECHA candidate materials can be found at the following websites:

SVHCs: https://echa.europa.eu/candidate-list-table

Annex XVII: https://echa.europa.eu/substances-restricted-under-reach

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