

Declaration regarding the REACH – Regulation

Dear Sir or Madam

The EU REACH Regulation (RL 1907/2006 EG) demands registration, evaluation, authorisation and restriction of chemical substances (Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals).

This Regulation is based on the principle that manufacturers, importers and downstream users must ensure that they manufacture, place on the market and use substances that do not adversely affect human health or the environment. The purpose of the Regulation is, inter alia, to ensure a high level of protection of human health and the environment, including the promotion of alternative methods of assessing the risks of substances, and to ensure the free movement of substances within the internal market. The REACH regulation is always available to us in the currently valid version with the corresponding annexes and every change is checked for its relevance. The regulation is currently available in the corrigendum of 05.02.2009 (OJ L 36/84).

ABB STOTZ-KONTAKT GmbH supplies electrotechnical products that are not substances or preparations in the sense of the regulation. Therefore, it is not necessary to prepare safety data sheets for our products according to this regulation. As a "downstream user" in terms of Article 3 (12) of the Regulation, we ensure that the substances and preparations we use are registered in accordance with the REACH Regulation, if applicable. According to the REACH regulation, our suppliers are also obliged to inform us about any chemicals that are listed as notifiable in the current list of potentially hazardous substances (SVHC - Substances of Very High Concern). In order to increase your protection as a customer, ABB STOTZ-KONTAKT GmbH proactively and on its own initiative asks all its suppliers at regular intervals to provide information on the possible use of such chemicals.

The list of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) is available as of **27/06/2024** (published on the ECHA website according to Article 59(10) of REACH). (see also: **ECHA/NR/24/19**)

Information on the SVHC substances reported to us by our suppliers is given in the annex to this letter. For products not mentioned here, we currently have no information on the use of SVHCs.

In addition, you can obtain up-to-date information on the subject of material compliance in the supply chain at any time on this page: <https://new.abb.com/about/supplying/material-compliance>.

The use of these substances in our products complies with the applicable legal regulations. When used as intended, there is no danger to health or the environment. Safety instructions are therefore not required.

Yours sincerely,

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Annex REACH Declaration, August 21, 2024:

Further information can be found on the respective product website at new.abb.com

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