



Statement regarding SVHC reporting obligations under REACH

Vishay Intertechnology Inc. has completed the pre-registration phase of EU REACH regulation. In accordance to Article 33 of this regulation, the company is now meeting SVHC (Substance of Very High Concern) reporting obligations.

Article 33:

1. Any supplier of an article containing a substance meeting the criteria in Article 57 (Definition of SVHC) and identified in accordance with Article 59(1) (dossier for SVHC) in a concentration above 0.1 % weight by weight(w/w) shall provide the recipient of the article with sufficient information, available to the supplier, to allow safe use of the article including, as a minimum, the name of that substance.
2. On request by a consumer any supplier of an article containing a substance meeting the criteria in Article 57(Definition of SVHC) and identified in accordance with Article 59(1) (dossier for SVHC) in a concentration above 0,1 % weight by weight (w/w) shall provide the consumer with sufficient information, available to the supplier, to allow safe use of the article including, as a minimum, the name of that substance.
The relevant information shall be provided, free of charge, within 45 days of receipt of the request.

Remark: Set (2) of Article 33 applies only if you are an end-consumer of our products and not a manufacturer of articles.

What does this mean for Vishay's products:

With the exceptions of Micro Measurement Accessory and Photolastic products, Vishay Intertechnology, Inc. manufactures only products, which are articles according to REACH. These products are not intended to release any substance under normal and reasonable foreseeable conditions of use.

When candidate lists are published by ECHA, Vishay will review the product bill of material of the articles to identify those parts containing SVHC. All articles with content above 0,1 % of SVHC in total part weight will be shown on the Vishay website and customer receiving articles containing SVHC will be informed through email.

Link to website: www.vishay.com

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