

REACH DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY HILGENBERG GMBH

REACH (Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals, EC 1907/2006) is the European Union's (EU) chemical substances regulatory framework. The REACH Regulation makes us as manufacturer responsible for providing our customers with appropriate safety information on Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) contained in our products in concentration above 0.1 % weight by weight (w/w).

We hereby confirm that we are fully aware of our obligations under the regulation and of the legal duty to comply with the defined regulations.

Under REACH glass is classified as a UVCB substance (substance of unknown or variable composition, complex reaction products or biological materials) which is manufactured of different mineralogical raw materials. During the glass melting process the different raw materials react chemically to produce the substance glass. The different raw materials are not available and traceable as such during the complete lifecycle of the glass.

Under these conditions, glass is exempted from the registration requirement under REACH as laid down in Annex V, Article 11.

There would only be obligations to communicate information if glass as UVCB substance itself would be considered hazardous and would be mentioned on the SVHC list. This is not the case and we also do not expect it to be the case in the future. There are therefore no obligations to communicate information according to Article 33 of the REACH regulation concerning substances in the glass.

For further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Best regards

Hilgenberg GmbH

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Place and date



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