

REACH Information

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Dear customer

You have requested information relating to REACH conformity of Cellpack products.

The Chemicals Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 concerning the registration, evaluation and authorisation of chemicals (REACH) entered into force on 1st June 2007. It defines requirements on substances as such, substances in mixtures and also certain substances in articles.

For products requiring a safety data sheet SDS they are provided via download on our web based product catalogue under

<https://ep-webcatalog.cellpack.com/>

Please consider that products as tapes, gel joints, cable ties and heat shrink products – comply with the REACH definition of articles¹ and thus safety data sheets according to REACH Art. 31 are not mandatory.

The REACH requirements on articles are triggered by the presence of substances of very high concern (SVHC). The criteria for SVHC are defined in REACH Art. 57 and include CMR substances², PBT/vPvB substances³ and substances of similar concern. The list of identified SVHC is published as the “candidate list” according to Art. 59(1) on the ECHA website⁴ and is regularly updated. If an SVHC is present in an article in concentrations above 0.1 wt-% producers, importers and other suppliers of the article have to provide respective information necessary to ensure safe use of the article to the recipients and, as a minimum, the name of the substance (REACH Art. 33).

As a producer and supplier of articles Cellpack GmbH is aware of the requirements on substances in articles according to REACH. We are monitoring the development of the candidate list and keep information about the presence/absence of SVHC from our suppliers up to date. Based on the current candidate list only products according to table 1 (attached) contain SVHCs in levels above 0.1 wt-%. Furthermore we will forward any relevant information on SVHC contained in articles as soon as we become aware of it.

For further questions please contact reach@cellpack.com

Kind Regards

Cellpack GmbH

¹ REACH Article 3(3): *article: means an object which during production is given a special shape, surface or design which determines its function to a greater degree than does its chemical composition;*

² CMR: *carcinogenic, mutagenic or reproduction toxic substances cat. 1A and 1B (acc. To CLP-Regulation)*

³ PBT: *persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic substance, vPvB: very persistent and very bioaccumulative substances*

⁴ http://echa.europa.eu/chem_data/authorisation_process/candidate_list_table_en.asp

Table 1

Products and articles containing SVHC > 0.1 wt-%
as mentioned in the ECHA candidate list
status: update of December 17, 2014.

<i>Pos.</i>	<i>Product</i>	<i>SVHC- Substance</i>	<i>CAS-Nr</i>	<i>EC-Nr</i>	<i>Content (wt-%)</i>
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Handling of these products within the intended use does not require specific safety measures.