

Confirmation for the compliance of REACH order 1907/2006/EC (SVHC List)

REACH means **R**egistration, **E**valuation and **A**uthorisation of **C**hemicals.

It is a European Regulation (1907/2006/EC) and became operative on 1 June 2007. REACH will harmonize the current chemical rights for registration, assessment and permission of chemical substances, in which the onus on responsibility of the industry has become important. The implementation of REACH will occur in 3 levels in the next 10 years.

The first level is concerned with materials and preparations which are produced in quantities more than 1 tonne per year or are imported by the EU countries. To place these substances on the market will be permitted only after previous registration.

EGGER are aware of their responsibilities according to the Regulation. There is an internal group of specialists that supervises and controls the implementation of REACH.

Our products

- Raw chipboards (trade name EUROSPAN®),
- Melamine faced boards (trade name EURODEKOR®),
- Medium (MDF) and high density fibreboards (HDF) and prefabricated furniture components,
- Lightweight boards (trade name EUROLIGHT®)
- OSB (trade name EUROSTRAND® OSB),
- MDF.RWH (trade name EGGER DHF)
- Laminates, melamine edging, ABS edging and impregnated paper
- Laminate flooring and floorings with cork+ technology
- Compact laminate

are 'Articles' according to REACH, for which EGGER has to fulfil their duties and provide relevant information to their customers (downstream users).

REACH does not intend a registration or pre registration for any of our products.

EGGER stays in regular contact with our suppliers. The manufacturers of materials, as well as the importers have insured us to carry out the necessary registrations or pre registration where applicable.

Therefore, it can be confirmed from today's view that, no restrictions have arisen for the production of our products.

Information about SVHC (Substances of Very High Concern)

REACH intends a special licensing procedure for the substances of Very High Concern (SVHC). According to the article 33 of the REACH order the supplier of a product which contains a material from the candidate's list in a concentration of more than 0.1% (w/w) is obliged to inform his customer accordingly.

We would like to confirm, that because of the amount of materials from the first candidate's list (last updated 19.12.2012) used for our products there is no further obligation to report.

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