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Article 33(1) DECLARATION OF REACH COMPLIANCE

REACH¹ Article 33(1) - Communication on Substances of Very High Concern in Products

REACH Candidate List version Date*	21 th January 2025
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*[REACH Candidate list](#) of SVHC declarations including all substance names that were included up to the Candidate List Version Date above.

Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH Regulation) is the EU regulation on the registration, evaluation and authorization of chemicals. It regulates the handling of chemical substances in preparations and articles.

REACH aims to ensure that the use of chemical substances can be traced seamlessly from manufacture to end use. Once all substances have been pre-registered by the manufacturer or importer, the individual chemical substances will be registered by 2018.

Registration of chemical substances

- EPIGAP OSA Photonics GmbH is a "downstream user" within the meaning of REACH. Our products are considered "articles" and not "substances", and as such are not subject to registration.
- The starting materials used are either not subject to registration or are registered by our suppliers (auxiliary materials, adhesives).
- No chemical substances are released from our products under normal conditions of use (see Art. 7 Para. 1 of the REACH Regulation).

Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to Art. 33 of the REACH Regulation

- To the best of our knowledge, our products do not contain any of the "substances of very high concern" on the candidate list of the European Chemicals Agency ECHA. ECHA candidate list
- We comply with the obligation under Article 33 of the REACH Regulation and inform our customers immediately if, according to new knowledge, our products contain "substances of very high concern" above the limit value of 0.1%.

The information provided in this statement represents our knowledge and belief as of the date that it is provided. We base our knowledge and belief on information provided by third parties and make no representation or warranty as to the accuracy and shall have no liability for the consequences of use of such information.

For other inquiries, please visit our webpage: <http://www.epigap-osa.de> or contact your respective sales representative.

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¹[Regulation \(EC\) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council, dated 18 December 2006](#), concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals.