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## Declaration of conformity REACH

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With this letter we validate the conformity of our products according to the current version of the European Chemicals Regulation (EC) 1907/2006. REACH regulates the registration, evaluation and authorization of chemicals in the EU.

An important part of the regulation is Annex XVII, which regulates the restriction of hazardous substances and groups of substances.

For the production of cable management systems, plastic granulate with chemical compositions are used. According to the REACH regulation, our products are **not subject to registration** and define us as a "downstream user".

Therefore, direct registration is not required.

According to Article 33 of the REACH Regulation, any person who places a product on the market has to committed to pass on information if articles contain a substance of very high concern (SVHC) in a concentration of more than 0.1 percent by mass.

In view of the reproductive toxic properties of **lead** (CAS: 7439-92-1), this substance was included in the REACH candidate list. However, due to the identification of lead as an SVHC substance, there are no restrictions or even a substance ban.

As of 27th June 2024, the candidate list now includes 241 listed substances. Among others, **melamine** (CAS: 108-78-1) was added to the candidate list at the beginning of 2023.

Our cable management systems usually consist of several components and may therefore contain a low concentration of melamine.

Melamine can be contained in the material of the grey grommets in a concentration of 0.1-0.5%. The affected products include both our splittable and our non-splittable cable entry systems, which are partly made from the material of the grey grommets.



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If there will be any changes in the REACH regulation or an update of the candidate list, we will check our products in cooperation with our partners for the presence of the newly listed substances and of course we will inform you.

The above information does not result in any legal obligations for icotek.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

With kind regards

Product Management