

# REACH

## **Policy Statement**

### EU REACH Regulation

The European Union Regulation 1907/2006 of 12/18/2006 (Registration, Evaluation, Authorization, and Restriction of Chemicals) came into effect on 6/1/2007. The purpose of this regulation is to manage substances of very high concern as defined in "echa.europa.eu" web site.

#### Candidate List: https://echa.europa.eu/candidate-list-table

#### Definition:

Under REACH EU regulation EC1907/2006, (Article3(3), All products produced and offered for sale by Astrodyne TDI meet the definition of an "Article". The registration of substances in Articles in not required per REACH directive (Article 4).

#### Substances:

No substances are intentionally released from our products during normal or reasonably foreseeable conditions of use therefore there is no requirement for Astrodyne TDI to Register Substances.

The SVHC candidate list was first issued October 2008 by ECHA and repeatedly updated since then. Frequent further additions to the list are expected. Most SVHC's are used only in applications completely unrelated to materials and processes used to manufacture our products.

Astrodyne TDI's validation process is focused on surveying our supply chain for compliance to this regulation. We also request that our suppliers continue to monitor for changes to the standard and to notify us if these changes then result in their product being Non-Compliant. For some customer requested products, having a third-party company analyze the BOM for SVHCs is an option open to discussion.

We have found no evidence of SVHCs above 0.1% by weight in any of our products. In the unlikely event of an Astrodyne TDI product containing SVHCs above 0.1% by weight and fulfilling the other criteria published in REACH legislation, Astrodyne TDI would comply with the notification procedures required to the authorities. **Our last evaluation was conducted post the January 17th**, **2023 release, which contains 233 Chemicals.** No Substances of Very High Concern (SVHCs) available under https://echa.europa.eu/candidatelist-table above 0.1% w/w following the Regulation (EC) 1907/2006 (REACH) in correspondence with the Waste Frame Directive (EU) 2018/851 are used.

Our efforts are aimed at providing our customers with the best quality, environmentally friendly products available in the global power supply market today. This is accomplished using an internal processes and due diligence to effectively survey and manage our supply chain. We will continue to monitor for changes in the existing regulation and implement changes to ensure our customers are provided with regulatory approved and legislation compliant products when required.

The above information is to the best of our knowledge accurate. Astrodyne TDI will continue to monitor our supply chain for continual compliance with the REACH Directive and report any changes.

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