

**Statement to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH)**

Dear Sir or Madam,

According to the Article 3 of the Regulation (EC) 1907/2006 REACH, Mayser GmbH & Co. KG is not a producer or supplier of *substances* and *substances in preparations*. Moreover we are classified as a down-stream user. For this reason we don't need to pre-register or register any substance or preparation. For your information: Only a substance can be registered. Preparations are dependent on an amount of substances (dependent on formulation of the preparation). Besides only the producer of chemicals and the supplier, who provides chemicals and preparations (*substances in preparations*), need to pre-register or register. In addition to Article 33 of REACH regulation, we have the responsibility to inform our customers about substances of very high concern (SVHC) in our products. The ECHA has published (October 2008) a SVHC-candidate list:

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

Based on our current knowledge of raw materials (according to our suppliers statements), there are none of such substances mentioned on the Candidate List (ECHA 19/12/11) used or added on purpose during the manufacturing of Mayser products.

Art. 33, § 1 (Regulation EC 1907/2006):

Duty to communicate information on substances in articles:

Any supplier of an article containing a substance meeting the criteria in Article 57 and identified in accordance with Article 59 Paragraph 1 in a concentration above 0.1 % weight by weight (w/w) shall provide the recipient of the article with sufficient information, available to the supplier, to allow safe use of the article including, as a minimum, the name of that substance.

To the best of our knowledge, at this time no materials which fulfil the criteria of Article 57 and are identified in accordance with Article 59 Paragraph 1 are contained in our products.

In case anything changes, we will inform you immediately.

We are conscious of the duty to supply information within the supplier chain and we take this very seriously. According to the REACH-Regulation our products are safe products.

Yours faithfully

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