



REACH Declaration

REACH is the acronym for **Registration, Evaluation, Authorization, and Restriction of Chemicals**, established under **Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006** of the European Parliament and of the Council of December 18, 2006, concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorization, and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH). REACH regulates chemical substances, including substances on their own, in mixtures (preparations), and in articles (products). One of the principal obligations under REACH is the registration of any substance manufactured in or imported into the European Union in quantities exceeding one metric ton per year. A substance is defined as **"any chemical element and its compounds in the natural state or obtained by any manufacturing process."**

The **European Chemicals Agency (ECHA)** maintains the **Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHCs)** that have been identified for possible inclusion in the Authorization List. Once a substance is included in the Authorization List, it may only be used after the applicable sunset date if a specific authorization has been granted. As of **February 4, 2026**, the ECHA Candidate List contains **253 substances**.

IPP Operations LLC, (IPP) does not manufacture or supply chemical substances, as defined by REACH, to its customers. In accordance with **Article 3(3)** of the REACH Regulation, IPP's passive RF and microwave components are considered **articles** and are therefore not subject to the REACH registration requirements applicable to chemical substances. Article 3(3) of REACH defines an **article** as: *"An object which during production is given a special shape, surface or design which determines its function to a greater degree than does its chemical composition."*

IPP designs and manufactures products for specific electrical and mechanical functions; therefore, its products are considered articles under the REACH Regulation.

According to ECHA's **Summary of Obligations Resulting from Inclusion of Substances in the Candidate List**, producers or importers of articles within the European Union or European Economic Area (EEA) may be required to notify ECHA if:

- The article contains a Candidate List substance at a concentration greater than **0.1% (w/w)**; and the total quantity of that substance exceeds **one metric ton per producer or importer per year**.

Based on information provided by its suppliers and **to the best of its knowledge**, IPP certifies that its standard products **do not contain any of the 253 substances currently included on the REACH Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHCs) at concentrations exceeding 0.1% (w/w)**, except for the product series identified below.

Product Series	REACH Status
IPP-7XXX	Not Compliant
IPP-8XXX	Not Compliant
IPP-7XXXRT	Compliant
IPP-8XXXRT (printed versions only)	Compliant
IPP-8XXXRT (containing internal components)	Not Compliant
Resistors with "LC" suffix	Not Compliant

IPP products are **not intended to release chemical substances** during normal or reasonably foreseeable conditions of use, as defined by the REACH Regulation. IPP is committed to providing accurate compliance information and to supporting environmentally responsible product stewardship. Customers are encouraged to recycle or dispose of IPP products in accordance with all applicable federal, state, local, and international regulations.

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