

REACH

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Staermose Industry REACH statement

REACH refers to Regulation 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH).

Article 33 of the REACH Regulation requires that suppliers communicate down the supply chain if any of the substances included in the Candidate List, also known as Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC), are present in articles in concentrations above 0.1% (w/w).

On January 17, 2023 European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) has updated the Candidate List to now contain 233 SVHCs. The updated list is available on ECHA website: <u>Candidate List of substances of very high concern for Authorisation - ECHA</u>

Furthermore, Annex XVII of the REACH Regulation outlines substances which are restricted or banned for use in articles. Updated list of restricted substances from Annex XVII, as well as the restriction conditions, are available on ECHA website: <u>Substances restricted under REACH - ECHA</u>

Staermose Industry A/S hereby certifies that all steel constructions produced by Staermose Industry A/S fully comply with the requirements outlined by Regulation 1907/2006 (REACH).

We also confirm that no substances from the SVHC list are present in our stainless steel products in concentrations above 0.1% (w/w), and they do not contain any of the restricted substances within the scope of the restriction conditions.

Lasse Eduard Johansen, Supply Chain Manager

Signature