

Statement

Regarding: Substances of concern – melamine, bisphenol A (BPA) and phthalates in Cytiva products

In the European Economic Area (EEA), a regulation called *Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH - EC No 1907/2006)* addresses the manufacture, import, and/or use of hazardous chemical substances and their potential impacts on human health and the environment. This regulation has wide-spread effects on industries and companies manufacturing, using or importing chemicals within the EEA. Similar regulations are in place globally.

Melamine, BPA and phthalates are now regulated under the REACH regulation.

It is hereby stated that Cytiva complies and will continue to comply with the REACH regulation through a dedicated organization that supervises the various requirements and activities within sourcing and manufacturing operations. We actively monitor the Candidate list (Annex XV) of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) to identify SVHC used in our products or during manufacturing operations.

Cytiva products do not intentionally release SVHC under normal conditions of use. We continuously collect information from our suppliers regarding components they supply to us and the presence of SVHC in these components in quantities greater than 0.1% (w/w).

Cytiva's REACH regulatory compliance approach and SVHC affected articles list are available for download at: <http://www.cytiva.com/rsf> under Regulatory statements

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