

## **REACH Declaration**

## Regulation on Evaluation, Authorisation and Chemicals Restriction

(Reg. CEE n: 1907/2006)

The REACH Regulation 1907/2006 is in force as of June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2007.

The regulation is primarily aimed at companies producing or importing chemicals, but it contains some provisions involving distributors of substances and user companies, the "downstream users".

Under REACH Regulation, **OLAN srl** is qualified as a downstream user, in particular as a "user of substances" and "producer of articles". Under this regulation, as articles, we mean any product, component or semi-finished product.

With the present, we kindly inform you that:

- 1) The articles supplied by **OLAN srl** are not subject to the provisions of the REACH regulation as such, nor can they be qualified as "items that emit substances intentionally"
- 2) **OLAN srl** is not classified as producer / importer under REACH and therefore is not required to record/register substances used in their production process
- 3) **OLAN srl** began to undertake all the necessary activities to comply with the applicable provisions of REACH.

In particular:

- A continue communication with their suppliers to assess whether the purchased substances will be by pre-registered or registered from their importers and manufacturers, to ensure that the specific use of **OLAN srl** is included in the registration dossier and possibly the exposure scenario (if any) to identify potential alternative suppliers in order to ensure continuity of supply.
- Research and development of alternative substances and processes where the regulation
  would restrict or ban the use of certain substances from the market in order to ensure to
  the Canalplast customers the continuity, the quality and the performance of products and
  components supplied.
- Assessment of the substances used in the articles supplied to the customers to identify and communicate the presence, under Article 33 of REACH, of 173 substances that are classified as SVHC (substances of very high concern) and included in the "Candidate list" updated 12/01/2017, like Official Journal of the European Union (Annex XIV of REACH Regulation), above the accepted limits of 0.1% concentration by weight).

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