REACH Compliance Statement

Dear Customer:

In December 2006, the European Union promulgated legislation relating to the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation, and Restriction of Chemicals, commonly known as “REACH”. This legislation was effective June 1, 2007, and implemented over the following decade in a phased approach. The goal of REACH is to improve the protection of human health and the environment by identification of the intrinsic properties of chemical substances.

REACH authorizes the European Chemicals Agency (“ECHA”) to publish a list of substances which are considered a Substance of Very High Concern (“SVHC”). Designation as a SVHC may result in certain notification and/or registration obligations for manufacturers, including, but not limited to, notification to customers of the presence of the SVHC in a product. Please be advised that some products manufactured and sold by Samtec may contain a SVHC in an amount equal to or greater than the notification threshold of 0.1% of the weight of a particular product. Samtec will identify such products by including a reference to REACH on the environmental compliance label affixed to the product packaging. To obtain additional environmental compliance information for Samtec products, you may visit the following web page: https://www.samtec.com/

Consistent with REACH, Samtec endeavors to promote the responsible manufacturing, use, and handling of chemicals. Samtec will not place into the European Union market any products which contain substances found on the Authorisation List published by ECHA, or any substances otherwise restricted under REACH without appropriate compliance measures.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Samtec Product Environmental Compliance Group via email at PEC@samtec.com. We will be pleased to address any open issues.

Thank you for your continued interest in Samtec products.

Respectfully,

Mark Bobo
Executive Vice President, Compliance

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