



EU REACH Compliance Statement

REACH

This document addresses Data Cable's position regarding the Directive of Registration Evaluation Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals - REACH (EC 1907/2006).

Data Cable has taken the initiative to review the substances that are under consideration for treatment as Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) candidates. Data Cable has found that obtaining details on the composition of components (parts) from suppliers to be very difficult. This has made evaluation of SVHC, as a percentage of the total assembly, virtually impossible. Additionally, with an updated SVHC list revised each 6 months, Data Cable has observed it can take as much as 1 year, after the release of a new list, for suppliers to have updated information.

Data Cable has engaged an outside contractor, Assent Compliance, to obtain and maintain Reach compliance information for customers that request Reach compliant product. The implementation of this agreement, and initial reviews, is in progress at this time and is expected to be complete in late Spring 2016.

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