

2018 REACH Registration

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For the attention of the Managing Director, Quality and Compliance Manager

Dear Sir or Madam,

Scope/Applicability:

All Rolls-Royce suppliers / partners

Introduction:

REACH is the European Union (EU) law that ensures safe use of chemicals. It not only applies to products manufactured in the European Economic Area (EEA), but also products exported to the EEA by manufacturers from other countries eg the USA. If you are producing or importing chemicals, you need to act now to ensure the chemicals you need are registered.

THE REGISTRATION COMPLIANCE DEADLINE IS 31st MAY 2018

There are a number of guidance documents that have been issued to aid companies and their suppliers to identify and meet their registration requirements. Rolls-Royce has reviewed these and we have provided links below to those we suggest will help you with your registration process.

The International Aerospace Environment Group (IAEG) has published guidance containing useful information and tools. This can be found at:

http://www.iaeg.com/elements/pdf/iaeg_reach_chemical_report_06_09_17.pdf

The UK Government Chemical Stakeholder Forum (UKCSF) has worked with representatives from various industries to produce the following:

[Updated forum guidance for SMEs and downstream users on REACH 2018 registration deadline, with an explanatory note](#)

Action Required:

1. If you need to register, start preparing as soon as possible as the deadline for completion is 31 May 2018.
2. Assess your supply chain business continuity risk. (There are tools to help in the IAEG guidance)
3. Be aware of product reformulation or product obsolescence,
4. Communicate this NTS to sub-tier suppliers as required

If you have concerns please contact reach.programme@rolls-royce.com.

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