

## Regulation EC n. 1907/2006 concerning the registration, evaluation, authorisation and restriction of chemicals (REACH)

### Object: Declaration of the position taken by Camozzi S.p.a.

On December 18th 2006 the Council of the European Community established the regulation EC N°1907/2006 concerning the chemicals (REACH).

REACH regulation (Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and restriction of Chemicals) came into force on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2007 and started its operative phase on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2008.

Herewith Camozzi S.p.a. informs its customers located in the European Community and anybody who might be interested of the position adopted regarding the above mentioned regulation.

Considering that Camozzi S.p.a. is not a producer or an importer of a simple substance, or one mixed in preparations, Camozzi S.p.a., as a manufacturer of Automation articles, had no obligations for pre-registration (to be made within November 30th, 2008) and registration by the European Chemicals Agency (ECHA), because the chemicals which are included in the article 7 of the regulation EC No 1907/2006 and present in the products of Camozzi are not released during standard use.

Furthermore, Camozzi S.p.a. informs that in case of presence of substances, found through specific analysis, listed in the attachment XIV of REACH (cancerogenic, mutagenic and toxic for the reproduction of Cat.1&2, bioaccumulative, barely biodegradable and toxic, very persistent and very bioaccumulative or, finally, of the same level of concern of the above mentioned substances) and whose quantity and concentration limits are not in compliance with REACH, an official communication will be provided to you and to the Agency.

Anyway, as a downstream user of these substances or of products which contain them, Camozzi S.p.a. will comply with the regulation's duties. Camozzi S.p.a. has already started an informative activity with its suppliers in order that they proceed with the pre-registration or that they inform their suppliers of the obligations which derive from the regulation.

Furthermore, in order to update the Safety Data sheets attached to the used substances/preparations, an analysis has been introduced in order to study the situation faced by the persons who use these substances/preparations.

All suppliers will be informed of any eventual inadequacies that are found regarding the management of risk identified in the Safety Data sheets supplied to Camozzi S.p.a. and of possible new information related to the dangerous properties of the substances.

Camozzi is aware of the dynamic nature of REACH Regulation 1907/2006.

Accordingly it puts itself under the obligation to monitor the substances listed as SVHC and provide its customers with the latest information about chemical substances in its products.

Furthermore, as a manufacturer of articles containing the substances in question, Camozzi will proceed, if required, with the communication of the necessary information needed for the safe use of the products.

To conclude Camozzi S.p.a. has no obligations to complete the REACH stages of pre-registration or registration. However, Camozzi S.p.a. fully intends to complete other obligations such as a review of the whole production line and assessment of the risks derived by the exposure to chemicals.

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