

# REACH Declaration

## Schaffner Statement

Schaffner hereby declares that the products we provide to market are compliant with the Regulation EC No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council. Schaffner does not intentionally add or use substances listed in the SVHC list (Candidate List) and ensure that all suppliers of Schaffner will pre-register/register where REACH registration requirements are applicable. The calculation of the SVHC limitation less than 0.1 weight % is based on the component level (not the finished product level). Substances listed in Annex XIV (Authorization List) are not present in our products, therefore authorization requirements for substances in Annex XIV are not applicable for Schaffner products. The restricted substances as per Annex XVII (Restriction List), including the CMRs in Entry 28 to 30 (Annex VI to CLP) are not intentionally added or below the limit in Schaffner products were applicable.

## Latest REACH update considered

SVHC:	Jun, 06. 2022	<a href="https://echa.europa.eu/en/candidate-list-table">https://echa.europa.eu/en/candidate-list-table</a>
Annex XIV:	Apr, 08. 2022	<a href="https://echa.europa.eu/authorisation-list">https://echa.europa.eu/authorisation-list</a>
Annex XVII:	Jul., 04. 2022	<a href="https://echa.europa.eu/en/substances-restricted-under-reach">https://echa.europa.eu/en/substances-restricted-under-reach</a>
Annex VI to CLP:	Dec., 2021	<a href="https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals/annex-vi-to-clp">https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals/annex-vi-to-clp</a>

## Note to REACH Annex XVII / Entry 68

### (Restriction of “C9-C14 PFCAs and PFOA” affecting polymers

The European Commission has issued Commission Regulation 2021/1297 amending Entry 68 of “EU REACH Regulation Annex XVII (Restricted Substance List)”. PFOA and C9-C14 PFCAs, their salts and related substances over the threshold in EU will be banned in stages from February 25, 2023. Probable affected polymers are PTFE (“Teflon”), ETFE (“Tefzel”) and PVDF (Polyvinylidene Fluoride). Such plastics will not be applied by Schaffner unless explicitly specified by the customer. The few remaining material are not produced anymore by PFOA and C9-C14 PFCAs, their salts and related substances.

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