



## *Electronic Fasteners, Inc.*

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### **REACH Compliance Statement**

#### **REACH Directive – 1907/2006**

This Declaration of Conformity based on the European Union regulation REACH (Registration, Evaluation, Authorization, and Restriction of Chemicals no. 1907/2006) confirms that based on all available information up to this date from Electronic Fasteners suppliers, that all duties under Article 33 have been met.

Our understanding is that Article 7(1) requires producers and importers to register with ECHA the chemical substances released from any of our products during use. In addition, Article 7 (2) requires that we notify ECHA of any Substances of Very High Concern (SVHCs) if the concentration is above 0.1% by weight and the total amount put on the market in the European Union is over 1 ton a year.

It is Electronic Fasteners duty to pass on this information to our customers regarding the presence of an SVHC in a concentration above the threshold.

It is also our responsibility to respond to requests within a 45 day window with the appropriate documentation for material disclosures.

For more information on REACH legislation, click this link: [www.echa.europa.eu](http://www.echa.europa.eu)

We work with our suppliers to ensure accurate data for all Electronic Fasteners products. As part of our due diligence process, we are currently reviewing the following processes and components for REACH compliance:

- Un-plated low and medium carbon steel
- Alloy steel
- Copper and its alloys
- Aluminum and its alloys
- Stainless steel
- Hot dip galvanizing
- Mechanical galvanizing
- Thermal and chemical black oxide finishes,
- Electrodeposited zinc plating with trivalent chromates
- Nylon fasteners & nylon material used for patches, pellets, and inserts

We will continue to identify any potential use of materials as specified in the REACH directive and confirm the representations made in this compliance statement remain accurate. To that end, we reserve the right to amend this statement at any time based on subsequent developments or information.

If you need more detailed information, please contact: [loretta-m@electronicfasteners.com](mailto:loretta-m@electronicfasteners.com)

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding this statement, please do not hesitate to contact us.



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