

September 2, 2024

Subject: Hexavalent Chromium salts and REACH compliance

Dear customer,

In accordance with the European Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 on the Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals ("REACH"), the hexavalent chromium salts (Cr6+) are currently banished from use in the European Union except for authorizations (Sunset date September 2017).

As a manufacturer of interconnect components for the telecommunication, aerospace, defense, instrumentation, industrial and medical markets, Radiall certifies that, to the best of its knowledge and as confirmed from our internal supply chain, that **Radiall complies with the REACH regulation**.

More specifically :

- Radiall does not use Cr6+ processes on its own premises.
- Additionally, in Europe, Radiall's subcontractors are covered by CMG (Connectors Manufacturers Group) authorization for Cadmium passivation, granted until September 21st, 2029.

Radiall is already proposing substitutions depending on product specifications. Please contact each dedicated market department for more information.

Radiall is closely monitoring the evolution of the European REACH regulation, especially the current restriction project.

For additional information or answers to additional questions, please contact Sylvie Lefloch Dubois at sylvie.leflochdubois@radiall.com or at infoenv@radiall.com

Best regards



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