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## **REACH Compliance Statement**

**REACH** (an acronym for Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals) is a European Union (EU) regulation which entered into force on 1 June 2007, with a phased implementation over the next decade. It requires the registration of chemical substances and addresses the continued use of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC). The permissible maximum amount of any SVHC is 0.1% by weight per article. Administration is by a new European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) in Annankatu, Finland.

REACH has specific limitations as of the date of this statement:

1. REACH is limited to products shipped into or manufactured in the EU. US-based companies cannot register under REACH. Only EU-based companies can.
2. REACH only applies to substances shipped into or manufactures in the EU in quantities greater than 1 metric ton per year.

Laurel Electronics, Inc. is a US, not EU based company. It does not manufacture products in the EU with a combined weight greater than 1 metric ton, nor does it ship products into the EU with a combined weight greater than 1 metric ton. Laurel sells electronic products which do not exude any toxic substances and cannot be ingested during normal use.

In view of the above limitations, Laurel hereby states that it does have an obligation under REACH to register any substances or products.

Statement by

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