

Conditions of purchase

Conformity with legal substances prohibitory regulations and legal obligations to notify concerning the use of critical substances

In order to meet both our legal obligations regarding the use of critical substances in products and their packaging as well as our requirements concerning notification and registration, we hereby inform you explicitly that you as supplier must conform to the following legal obligations in the respectively valid version and considering appropriate application time limits as well as related consideration limits in relation to substance concentrations.

1) Requirements according to legal substance prohibitory regulations

Regarding the composition of substances in products and in accompanying packaging, the manufacturing or packaging of any goods delivered to HellermannTyton GmbH is done under strict observance of all legal regulations relating to the ban of hazardous substances.

Please find below (page 4) a list of examples – no responsibility is taken for its completeness – illustrating several legal substance prohibitory regulations probably relating to your products.

If using substances for which a legal ban of use is only applied for certain special purposes [e.g. EU Directive 2011/65/EC (RoHS) is valid only for electric appliances], the supplier will provide the following information about the affected article:

- the exact article numbers and designations of articles containing substances of use-related ban of use
- the accurate chemical identification (CAS number) of the use-restricted substances.
- the specification of concentration (% by weight) indicating the mass of these substances restricted as to use contained in the corresponding product
- the designation of the official regulation specifying a restricted, non-substance-applicable ban of use regarding this product.

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In addition, all goods delivered must be free of radioactivity beyond natural background radiation in order that the dosage limits set by European guideline 2013/59/EURATOM (see <http://eur-lex.europa.eu>) are not exceeded in day-to-day contact with the goods.

2) Legal obligations to notify concerning the use of critical substances according to the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) of the European Union

Additionally the supplier will immediately inform HellermannTyton GmbH about any delivery of products or packaging containing substances of very high concern (very dangerous substances - carcinogenic, mutagenic, reprotoxic, bioaccumulative etc.) as mentioned in article 33 of REACH Regulation 1907/2006 i.c.w. Annex XIV of this Regulation (Index of substances subject to admission control); Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), see: <http://eur-lex.europa.eu>.

These so-called SVHC's listed in the Candidate list (see updated list on http://echa.europa.eu/chem_data/authorisation_process/candidate_list_table_en.asp) form the basis for the selection of the substances in Annex XIV of the REACH Regulation (substances subject to authorization with a Sunset Date). If using these substances of very high concern (SVHC), the supplier will immediately provide HellermannTyton GmbH [for contact information – please refer to no. 1)] with the following information about the affected article:

- the article number and description of the article containing any of the above mentioned substances of very high concern (very dangerous substances),
- the exact chemical identification (CAS number) of the substances of very high concern (very dangerous substances),
- the specification of concentration (% by weight) indicating the mass of these substances contained in the corresponding product.
- date of elimination and substitution of these hazardous substances (SVHC).

This enables HellermannTyton GmbH to comply with articles 32 and 33 of REACH Regulation 1907/2006 and to fulfil its legal requirement of notification towards its customers.

3) Legal obligations to notify concerning the use of „Conflict Minerals“ according to the „Dodd-Frank Consumer Protection Act“ (WS H. R. 4173, SEC. 1502) [<http://www.sec.gov/about/laws/wallstreetreform-cpa.pdf>] in products and packaging.

If using these minerals, the supplier will immediately provide HellermannTyton GmbH [for contact information – please refer to no. 1)] with the following information about the affected article:

- the article number and description of the article containing any of the above mentioned minerals,
- the exact chemical identification (CAS number) of the minerals,
- the specification of concentration (% by weight) indicating the mass of these minerals contained in the corresponding product,
- the country of origin of these minerals with regard to the winning, melting and the continuing process.

If we do not receive updated information stating the use of substances specified in points 1), 2) and 3) after receipt of your initial consignment, we will assume that your products do not and will not contain any of these substances.

The same applies for any new or amended legal regulations until you provide us with any relevant notification of modification.

If you have already informed us of the use of substances specified in points 1), 2) and 3) in the past, this would now have to be communicated to us again, with reference to articles, in order to examine which further articles are in the meantime supplied free of the above mentioned substances.

We assume that products containing substances subject to disclosure under point 2) will have little chance of being sold on the market in the foreseeable future. We therefore urgently recommend that you replace these substances with non-critical substances if necessary.

Please note that any claims from a third party arising from not meeting the above mentioned legal obligations and which have been lawfully claimed from Hellermann Tyton GmbH, will be passed on to you.

Legal Substance Prohibition Regulations

(Associated amendment and adaptation regulations have to be considered.)

No.	Legal Regulation	Source
1	1907/2006; registration, evaluation, authorisation and restriction of chemicals,(REACH) in particular annex XVII	http://eur-lex.europa.eu
2	2011/65/EU; restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment, (RoHS II)	http://eur-lex.europa.eu
3	2000/53/EC; end-of life vehicles (ELV)	http://eur-lex.europa.eu
4	94/62/EC; packaging and packaging waste	http://eur-lex.europa.eu
5	2006/66/EC; batteries and accumulators	http://eur-lex.europa.eu
6	1005/2009/EC; substances that deplete the ozone layer	http://eur-lex.europa.eu
7	517/2014/EC; certain fluorinated greenhouse gases	http://eur-lex.europa.eu
8	2013/59/EURATOM; basic safety standards for the protection of the health against the dangers arising from ionizing radiation	http://eur-lex.europa.eu
9	1257/2013/EG; ship recycling	http://eur-lex.europa.eu
10	GADSL (Global Automotive Declarable Substance List), as far as <u>legally prohibited substances</u> are concerned and substances are not included in the regulations before.	http://www.gadsl.org
11	850/2004/EG (POP); persistent organic pollutants	http://eur-lex.europa.eu
12	China RoHS II; Restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment	http://www.spectaris.de/uploads/tx_ewscontent_pi1/Spectaris_RoHS_China_v4_web.pdf
13	„Conflict Minerals“ according to „Dodd-Frank Consumer Protection, Act“ (WS H. R. 4173, SEC. 1502)	http://www.sec.gov/about/laws/wallstreetreform-cpa.pdf