

## **Statement on REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006**

It is our mission to continually and systematically improve our products, manufacturing and business practices to assure the safety of our employees, the public, and the environment. As such, we are constantly monitoring the various worldwide regulations and directives that apply to our business, and we comply where required by law and by our own sense of social responsibility.

The EU REACH (Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals) regulation falls into this practice of vigilance. After thorough review of the regulation and subject guidelines, we have determined that Moore Industries-International, Inc. and MooreHawke products do not contain the quantities or levels of hazardous chemicals that would require registration. The paragraphs below outline relevant and pertinent sections of the regulation that support our product's exemption from registration.

### **Article Classification**

REACH defines an article as "an object which during production is given a special shape, surface or design which determines its function to a greater degree than its chemical composition does." According to the ECHA (European Chemicals Agency) REACH Guidance for Articles, Moore Industries- International-Inc. products qualify as articles.

### **Substance Quantity and Release Exclusion**

REACH Article 7(1) indicates that producers or importers of articles are required to submit registration to ECHA if a substance is present in those articles in quantities totaling over 1 tonne per year and the substance is intended to be released under normal or reasonably foreseeable conditions of use.

### **Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) Exclusion**

REACH Article 7(2) indicates that producers or importers of articles are required to submit registration to ECHA if a Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to REACH Article 57, and as identified in accordance with Article 59 are imported in quantities totaling over 1 tonne per year and percent concentration weight by weight exceeds 0.1%. No substance in our products is imported in a quantity totaling over 1 tonne per year nor is any substance that might fit the criteria for REACH Article 57 present in a quantity exceeding 0.1% concentration weight by weight. Candidate list updated June 14, 2023 (235) SVHC substances.

### **Compliance with EU REACH Substance Restrictions under Annex XIV and XVII**

Moore Industries-International, Inc. is a manufacturer of articles and none of our articles involve the intentional release of substances. On the basis of information provided to us by our suppliers and to the best of Moore Industries-International, Inc.'s knowledge, all supplied products contain no known Annex XVII restricted substances, nor do they contain Annex XIV substances subject to authorization. Therefore, and as REACH regulation states, the company does not meet any requirement to register or have authorized any products we supply.

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Moore Industries-International, Inc. is committed to assisting with REACH-related requirements for our customers. We continue working with our vendors and suppliers to ensure continued compliance with existing and new applicable EU REACH substance restrictions and regulations. Our representative in Europe will work with your qualified REACH representative in this regard and can be contacted at [sales@mooreind.com](mailto:sales@mooreind.com).

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