

# REACH - Chemical Regulation

## REACH, Regulation No 1907/2006 on the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals.

REACH entered into force on 1st June 2007 and under REACH, companies operating in the EU may face certain obligations as manufacturers, importers and/or downstream users. These obligations are staggered and become effective in stages; this means that different deadlines apply.

- 1 June - 1 Dec 2008 - pre registration period for existing substances manufactured or imported into the EU at 1 tonne per annum or more
- 1 Dec 2010 - registration complete for substances of 1000 or more tones per annum or substances of very high concern greater than 1 tonne per annum
- 1 June 2013 - registration complete for substances of 100 or more tones per annum
- 1 June 2018 - registration complete for substances of 1 or more tones per annum

Brother and parties working on behalf of Brother have completed the necessary pre registrations and are working to ensure registration at the appropriate time.

REACH requires that sufficient information on Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) contained in articles in concentration above 0.1% weight by weight (w/w) is communicated to allow the safe use of the product.

### The following products contain a SVHC in a concentration above 0.1% w/w.

Product	Description	Substance Name	CAS No.	Information on safe use
BP61GLA	Premium Plus Glossy A4 Photo Paper	Tetraboron disodium heptaoxide, hydrate	12267-73-1	Do not allow to come into contact with the mouth.
BP61GLP BP61GLP50	Premium Plus Glossy 6x4" Photo Paper	Tetraboron disodium heptaoxide, hydrate	12267-73-1	Do not allow to come into contact with the mouth..
BCLD20	Dect Handset (internal wiring) for Fax 1560/MFC845CW/MFC885CW	Bis (2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP)	117-81-7	Do not keep the battery cover open.
BCLD70	Dect Handset (internal wiring) for MFC990CW	Bis (2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP)	117-81-7	Do not keep the battery cover open.
BCLBT20	Battery for BCL-D20 Dect Handset	Bis (2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP)	117-81-7	Keep out of reach of children.
RC-120	Serial Cable	Bis (2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP)	117-81-7	Keep out of reach of children.
MW-145BT	Paper pick up roller	Bis (2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP)	117-81-7	Keep out of reach of children.
BCL-BT	Battery for cordless handset	Cadmium sulphide	1306-23-6	Keep out of reach of children.

**The items below may contain substances above the threshold at an individual component level but not above 0.1%(w/w) of the total article weight.**

Item	Product	Substance Name	CAS No.	Information on safe use
Power Cord and/or Cables	All Printers, All in One printers, Fax machines, P Touch products, QL Products, Sewing and Embroidery products, Typewriters, Stamp Creator and PocketJet	Bis (2-ethyl(hexyl)phthalate) (DEHP)	117-81-7	Keep out of the reach of children.
Outer Case (Products Produced after March 2011 do not contain DEHP)	Stamp Creator SC 2000	Bis (2-ethyl(hexyl)phthalate) (DEHP)	117-81-7	Keep out of the reach of children.
Internal Filter (Not accessible from the outside of the machine)	All Laser Printers, All in One Laser Printers, Laser Facsimile Machines	Aluminosilicate Refractory Ceramic Fibres	-	Dust could be generated during after-service operations, please handle the filters carefully to prevent damage and the creation of dust.
Lithium Ion Battery cell CR2032	PT-3600, PT-9600 and QL-650TD	1,2-dimethoxyethane; ethylene glycol dimethyl ether	110-71-4	Keep out of the reach of children.
Paper pick up roller	Portable Printer MW-260	Bis (2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP)	117-81-7	Keep out of reach of children.