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## EU REACH Regulation-Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC)

This statement is made in response to the European Union's regulation for Registration, Evaluation, Authorization, and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) (EC 1907/2006) that came into form June 27th, 2018.

REACH requires suppliers of articles\* to communicate the presence of any SVHCs listed by the European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) in Annex XiV and XVII, under the provisions of the REACH Regulation, if the following conditions are met as per Articles 7,33, and 67:

- The substances are included in the Candidate List\*\* and is present in the articles produced and/or imported at a concentration of >0.1% (w/w).

- The total amount of the substance present in all the articles produced and/or imported, which contain more than 0.1% (w/w) of the substance, exceeds 1 ton per year for the producer/importer.

Our product(s), as well as any articles<sup>\*</sup> contained within the product(s), DO NOT CONTAIN any of the 223 REACH SVHCs as updated by ECHA on January 17th, 2022.

Visual Communications Company, LLC. (VCC) is aware and in support of the requirements listed under this regulation. As it is in our best interest to comply with the legal and environmental requirements it implies, VCC is on constant review and monitoring of materials for the VCC, Leecraft, Littlelite, CML, and DDP product lines.

Respectfully,

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CEO

\*Article (EC No 1907/2006 Chapter2\*Article33)- an object which during production is given special shape, surface or design which determines it's function to a greater degree than its chemical composition.

\*\*The updated SVHC Candidate list substances can be found at: https://echa.europa.eu/candidate-list-table