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#### **EU Regulations that can impact your exports to Europe**

## **REACH Registration**

Manufacturers or exporters placing chemical substances on the EU market need to register!

# **REACH Registration deadlines are coming up!**

Please note the **changes in volume.**Make sure to act timely as the registration process can take **up to 12 months.** 



May 31, 2013: REACH Registration deadline for substances manufactured or imported in volumes above 100 tons/year.



May 31, 2018: REACH Registration deadline for substances manufactured or imported in volumes above 1 ton/year.

The **REACH** (**R**egistration, **E**valuation, **A**uthorization and Restriction of **Ch**emical substances) Regulation entered into force on June 1, 2007. It covers substances manufactured, imported or used as intermediates and placed on the EU market either on their own, in preparations or in articles.

The goal of REACH is to improve the protection of human health and the environment through better and earlier identification of the intrinsic properties of chemical substances. Therefore, manufacturers and importers have to register with the European Chemicals Agency (ECHA).

Registration with ECHA

Evaluation by ECHA Authorization for substances of very high concern

Restrictions (if applicable)

### **CLP Notification**

The **CLP** (Classification, Labeling and Packaging) Regulation entered into force on January 20, 2009. It has introduced new classification criteria and labeling rules for chemical substances and mixtures. All suppliers of chemical substances must notify ECHA within one month after the substance is made available on the EU market.

May 31, 2015:

Notification deadline for classifying substances with the ECHA

If you are seeking to address REACH and CLP compliance issues quickly and efficiently or if you need a European REACH "Only Representative", contact EABO today!