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**Subject: Registration, Evaluation, and Authorization of Chemicals (REACH)**

REACH, the regulatory system for chemicals management and their safe use in the European Union (EU) ([EC 1907/2006](#)), entered into force on June 1, 2007.

**Information for the Supply Chain**

In accordance with the requirements of REACH, this is to inform you of the presence of the following "substances of very high concern" (SVHC) as defined by REACH, contained in articles in concentrations above 0.1% weight by weight (w/w):

Article	Substance	CAS Number
Notebooks, Desktops, Workstations, Servers, and Visual Products	None	N/A
Power cords for Notebook PCs, Desktop PCs, Workstations, Servers, Power Adapters, Options Cables, wires for wired mouse, keyboard, options, external storage options	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP)	117-81-7
Cables and wires for options and accessory products	Dibutyl phthalate (DBP)	84-74-2

Lenovo notebooks, desktops, workstations, servers and visual products:  
SVHCs not present in concentrations above 0.1% weight by weight (w/w) in the product

**Lenovo Expectations for its Suppliers**

Lenovo expects its Suppliers to understand and comply with REACH. Suppliers must pre-register or register their substances or preparations as required by the Directive. Suppliers must assess whether the products and parts they supply to us contain substances classified as "substances of very high concern" (SVHC) in a concentration of more than 0.1% w/w in the article. If this is the case, this information must be communicated to Lenovo. If the total volume of the SVHC exceeds one ton per year this information must be communicated to the European Chemicals Agency.

For more information about REACH, please access the European Chemical Agency (ECHA) website: [http://ec.europa.eu/echa/reach\\_en.html](http://ec.europa.eu/echa/reach_en.html)

The Candidate List can be found at: [ECHA Website - Candidate list](#)

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