



## **R.E.A.C.H. POLICY**

Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) is a regulation of the European Union (1907/2006), adopted to improve the protection of human health and the environment from the risks that can be posed by chemicals. To comply with the regulation, companies must identify and manage the risks linked to the substances they manufacture or import and market in the EU.

Froni S.p.A. has been following the implementation of the REACH legislation in the European Union since the law was in force on June 2007 and the first registration deadline established by December 2010, for substances imported or produced in amounts greater than 1 thousand tons a year.

Froni is in compliance with the REACH rules provided by the above mentioned regulation.

In this regard Froni has decided not to proceed with the direct registration of the various substances, but it has implemented a procedure to insure that all its non-EU suppliers have obtained a pre-registration and/or a final registration of the substances, as required, by asking them to provide a formal confirmation and the registration number. As stated in the Regulation the responsibility for fulfilling the requirements of REACH, such as pre-registration or registration lies with the importers established in the European Union, or with the only representative of a non-EU manufacturer established in the European Union.

Froni finished products (such as bars and billets) are Articles with substances not intended to be released during normal or reasonable foreseeable conditions of use (art. 7 REACH) and so not included in the REACH application.

Foroni products do not contain Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC), as described in Annex XIV, in a concentration greater than 0,1% (weight percentage) or in quantities totaling more than one ton per year.

The company is committed to monitor any new inclusions to the SVHC Candidate List (CL) and can guarantee its clients, as of date hereof, its products are in compliance with this requirement.

Foroni is also committed to apply and to respect any future changes of the REACH rules the European Authorities may introduce.

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