

Schwelm, 25th of March 2025

Declarations according to REACH Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006/EC and RoHS 2 (Directive 2011/65/EU)

Dear Madam, dear Sir,

This declaration refers to the European Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006/EC concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) and Directive 2011/65/EU on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment (RoHS 2).

REACH is based on the principle that manufacturers, importers and downstream users take responsibility for their chemicals. They must ensure that the chemicals they manufacture and place on the market are used safely.

The REACH Regulation is the EU chemicals regulation that fundamentally harmonizes and simplifies existing chemicals legislation, while RoHS 2 is the EU directive that regulates the use of hazardous substances in electronic devices and their components.

We hereby declare that no substances covered by the REACH Regulation are processed in our products and that no declaration is required in this respect.

The non-declaration complies with the requirements of the REACH Regulation.

Nevertheless, we are obliged to make the following declaration in accordance with the REACH Regulation:

Within the framework of its obligations under the above-mentioned regulation, Bever & Klophaus GmbH (Bever) confirms that Bever products meet the requirements of the regulation and, according to the current status, comply with the limit values pursuant to Article 33 with regard to the so-called substances of very high concern (SVHC substances).

As a so-called downstream user within the meaning of the REACH Regulation, the obligations within the supply chain are fulfilled. In this respect, any substances and mixtures intended for the manufacture of our products in the future would either be registered or pre-registered or registered within the transitional periods.

Bever only supplies non-chemical products. Our products do not contain any substances that are intended for release under normal or reasonably foreseeable conditions of use in accordance with REACH Regulation Article 7. Information on ingredients may be based on information provided by Bever's suppliers.

Accordingly, to our current knowledge, our products do not contain any substances in excess of 0.1% by mass per product that are named in the candidate list (SVHC) of the European Chemicals Agency (ECHA).

We will comply with the obligation to provide information in accordance with Article 33 of the above-mentioned regulation without being asked if this statement regarding freedom from harmful substances is no longer fulfilled.

Only electric strikes from the 300, 400 and 500 series, which can be fitted with an electric strike solenoid, are covered by the RoHS 2 directive. As none of the materials regulated by RoHS 2 are used in these components, all products of the electric strikes mentioned are RoHS 2-compliant and are not subject to any restrictions or requirements for installation or assembly/disassembly.

Recycling is regulated by the EU legal basis for the disposal of waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE), Directive 2012/19/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE Directive). The WEEE Directive is implemented nationally through the Electrical and Electronic Equipment Act.

