



## DECLARATION OF CIAT'S POSITION REACH Regulation; RoHS Directives

### REACH REGULATION

The aim of the European REACH Regulation, which entered into force on 1st June 2007, is to gain a better understanding of the risks related to substances in wide use in all sectors of activity and to gradually eliminate substances 'of high concern'.

To meet these obligations, the CIAT Group has made the commitment to provide sufficient information to allow safe use of its articles:

- Systematically to the recipient of the article\* if the substance concerned is present above a concentration of 0.1% weight by weight (w/w) (Art. 33.1 of the REACH Regulation).  
(\* ) The term 'recipient of the article' means an industrial or professional user or a distributor. It does not extend to consumers (Article 2, section 35).
- On request to the consumer of the article. The relevant information shall be provided within 45 days of receipt of the request (see Article 33.2 of the REACH Regulation).

To ensure compliance with the REACH Regulation, the CIAT Group contacted all its suppliers to find out what substances, if any, are contained in the products sold to its clients. CIAT's suppliers have pledged to provide this information each time the REACH lists are updated.

**CIAT undertakes to inform its clients whenever a substance on the REACH list is present above a concentration of 0.1% weight by weight (w/w) in any of its equipment.**

### ROHS DIRECTIVE

The 2011/65/UE Directive of 8 June 2011 regarding the restriction of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment stipulates in annex II that electrical and electronic equipment must not contain lead, mercury, cadmium, hexavalent chromium, polybrominated biphenyls (PBB) or polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDE) above maximum threshold limits.

**In order to guarantee its conformity with this Directive, the CIAT Group has ensured that the various components bought from all of its suppliers are compliant**

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