



## **MPSI REACH (EC 1907/2006) POLICY STATEMENT**

### **What is REACH?**

REACH is an EU regulation for the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and restriction of Chemicals.

REACH came into force on 1st June 2007, replacing a number of European Directives and Regulations with a single system that places much greater responsibility on industry to identify & manage chemicals and products containing SVHC's (Substances of Very High Concern) that are hazardous to health.

### **REACH Primary Aims**

To provide a high level of protection of human health and the environment from the use of chemicals.  
To make the people who place chemicals on the market responsible for understanding and managing the risks associated with their use.

### **MPSI & REACH**

MPSI is a distributor, primarily of electronic components and does not manufacture these products. In performing distribution, MPSI does not add any chemicals during the stockholding/handling process.

MPSI has no responsibility to register any of the components or supplies we distribute and the relevant requirements of the REACH regulation remain the responsibility of the original manufacturer.

MPSI shall undertake to assist our customers with enquiries and provide manufacturer information upon request but we are not authorised to certify chemical content/compliance of devices with the regulation.

MPSI shall monitor for any revisions to this directive that may alter our responsibilities.

