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matronic statement about the European Chemical Regulation, REACH

Dear Sir or Madam,

The chemical regulation, REACH (Registration Evaluation and Authorisation of Chemicals) was created by Regulation No.1907/2006 of the European Community. The goal of this regulation is the registration, evaluation, approval and restriction of chemical materials, in particular dangerous materials.

matronic is a distributor and wholesale dealer of electronic parts exclusively. The majority of our products come from suppliers in the European Union. Normally, manufacturer's data contains information about substances in their products. You can get information about the substances contained in specific products direct from the manufacturer or from the manufacturer's website.

In accordance with the current provisions of REACH, many ingredients contained in our products either do not have to be displayed, or the substances and their volumes do not exceed the permitted limits and therefore do not contravene this regulation.

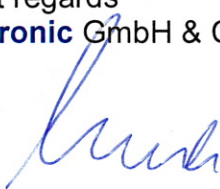
You can get more information at our website www.matronic.de. Simply go to the section "News" and in the sub-section REACH you will find links to manufacturers that provide information about the REACH regulation, the various products and the substances they contain.

If you need any further information, please contact the manufacturer of a product to get specific information about its origin. If you can't get the information you need, or the information is not sufficient, then we can get it for you from the manufacturer. The contact person for REACH in **matronic** is Mr. Ulrich Weber - email: uweber@matronic.de

We accept no liability concerning the information and data provided by the manufacturer of any product; the liability rests exclusively with the relevant manufacturer. We accept no liability for substances contained in products originating within the European Union, except in the case of injury to life, body and health, and in cases of gross negligence.

We hope that this information is helpful and we thank you for your co-operation.

Best regards
matronic GmbH & Co. Electronic-Vertriebs KG



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