

RoHs compliance statement

Overview

Many types of Electrical and Electronic Equipment (EEE) are regulated to control the levels of hazardous substances and chemicals they contain and prevent them entering the waste stream with consequential adverse impacts to human and animal health.

All products in scope must:

- have supporting technical documentation (often referred to as a technical file) to show compliance have a Declaration of Conformity
- · be labelled appropriately
- display the CE mark

Specific steps must be taken if a product is discovered or suspected to be non-compliant.

The Restriction of the Use of Certain Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment Regulations 2012 (as amended) are the underpinning legislation. From Time to time the original 2006 regulations are reviewed and updated to include additional elements for more information please use this link <u>European Commission Environment</u>

Who is responsible for compliance?

Responsibility for compliance is shared by the manufacturer or importer placing the EEE on the UK market and the distributor (including retailers). These are known as economic operators. Compliance EEE placed on the UK market must contain less than the maximum prescribed levels of lead, cadmium, mercury, hexavalent chromium, two specified flame-retardant groups, and four specified phthalates. Manufacturers must manufacture EEE within these limits and evaluate their production controls with reference to the measures detailed in the regulations. A Declaration of Conformity must be completed, supported by technical documentation to show compliance. These must be retained for 10 years after the last product is first placed on the market and be made available to the Office for Product Safety and Standards (Safety & Standards) if requested. Individual products must have a type, batch or serial number and show the manufacturer's name or mark, and address. They also need to display the CE mark, although in practice this is likely to be already required under other legislation.

Statement of compliance

Tasman Industries Ltd are committed to the continual compliance to the latest Rohs legal law requirements. Tasman Industries Ltd will ensure all products are manufactured to EEE and within the limits of the latest Rohs legal law requirements. Tasman Industries Ltd will ensure all manufacture product meet the regulations for EEE and when applicable retain a copy of the Declaration of Conformity and ensure technical documentation are available on request for 10 years after the last product is first placed on the market.

Tasman Industries Ltd will ensure we work to the latest Government guidance https://www.gov.uk/guidance/rohs-compliance-and-guidance