

REACH / RoHS Compliance MOVE Batteries



REACH:

Batteries are categorized as 'articles' by REACH. Articles 7 (1) and 7 (5) of the REACH Regulation state that Wetac (as the importer of MOVE Batteries) should register any substance contained in MOVE Batteries, if <u>both</u> the following conditions are met:

- a) The substance is intended to be released under normal or reasonably foreseeable conditions of use, and
- 2. b) The total weight of the substance contained in the article(s) exceeds one ton per producer or importer per year.

Batteries are **not** such articles that contain substances that are intended **to be released**, but rather batteries are intended to supply electricity generated by an internal chemical reaction of the positive and negative electrodes. Therefore condition a) is not applicable and because it doesn't apply, there is no obligation to register to the agency. For this reason, we cannot submit a certificate or an agreement for batteries in regard to compliance with the REACH Regulation. We appreciate your understanding.

RoHS:

Batteries are outside the scope of the RoHS Directive due to Battery Directive 2006/66/EC, which regulates the manufacture and disposal of batteries.

OTHER:

Wetac Battery Company works with a CSR-policy in the entire supply chain. More details and all the documents (policy, recycling etc.) can be found on our website: www.csr.wetac.com

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