

## Cambridge Precision's Environmental policy

*To conserve and protect the environment, by operating in a practical and responsible manner throughout our business. To operate a minimal waste policy where ever possible, with respect to renewable, reusable and recyclable materials, energy and utilities. To comply with and support current legislation, consents and customer requirements to protect our environment and natural resources.*

CPL's intent to produce products in an environmentally friendly manner, to support legislation in the control, throughout our supply chain, in preventing the use of banned substances as per RoHS and REACH directives plus agreements held with customers.

To reduce the impact to the environment by controlling levels of energy usage in manufacturing processes and site services, by managing utilities, energy usage plus recycling and/or the responsible disposal of waste materials produced by CPL

CPL would like to extend this policy where practicable through out our Supply Chain.

## Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH)

New European Union (EU) legislation known as **REACH** came into effect on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2007 in all of the Member States of the EU, as well as Norway, Iceland and Liechtenstein. This is a wide-sweeping legislative act regarding the use of chemicals which applies and affects companies both in and out of the EU. All registrations are dealt with by the European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) based in Helsinki.

CPL fully supports the intent of the REACH regulation. Its purpose is to protect the environment and people residing within the EU through improved management of the effects and usages of chemicals. This includes the possibility of prohibiting, restricting or removing the most hazardous ones from the market.

As an overview: 'REACH' requires the compulsory registration of all substances that are sold, imported, manufactured or used in quantities exceeding 1 metric tonne per year within the EU. If a company is a manufacturer, importer or user of ANY chemical substances either on their own, contained within a preparation (mixture) or within a product it makes, then REACH shall be applicable.

If as a supplier to CPL you have any questions relating to REACH please contact our Purchasing representative.