

**Manufacturer declaration in accordance with E.U. guidelines**

**WEEE-Directive (2012/19/EU), RoHS-Conformity (2011/65/EU & 2015/863/EU)  
and REACH-Regulation EG (Nr.1907/2006)**

The above guidelines relating to the disposal and avoidance of Hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment. Our company is a global acting company and considers the protection of the environment and natural resources as a corporate obligation. baumeister & schack as manufacturer of such products has set itself the goal to fulfill these requirements.

**1) WEEE - Directive**

At an early stage baumeister & schack dealt with the WEEE Directive in the context of an internal environmental management project (Directive on Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment / Waste Electrical - and Electronic Equipment). The primary objective of the Directive is to prevent or reduce the recovery. The essential requirements of the Directive are met. As a producer of components we don't have to register for the Electrical and Electronic Equipment Act (ElektroG).

The paragraph 3, section 1 of the ElektroG clearly defines what electrical and electronic equipment is. What is important is, that a device is only something that has an independent function. This separates components and assemblies. So if you sell assemblies without an independent function, you don't need to register either.

**2) RoHS - Conformity**

The RoHS Directive (Restriction of the Use of certain Hazardous Substances) relates to the individual electrical and electronic components of the baumeister & schack products in greater extent. This Directive lays down the pollutant concentrations of lead, mercury, cadmium, hexavalent chromium, brominated flame retardants and softening compounds in PVC/Vinyl electric cable insulations for newly marketed electrical and electronic equipment.

The 2015/863EU directive is known as RoHS 3. RoHS 3 adds four more restricted substances (phthalates) to the list of six substances, effective July 2019.

In cooperation with our suppliers all essential components of the baumeister & schack products have been checked and continuously converted to the requirements of the RoHS Directive.

**3) REACH - Regulation**

Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) is a European Union regulation dated 18 December 2006. The REACH Regulation EG Nr. 1907/2006 provides that all chemical substances that are produced in larger quantities than one ton per year, may be only be marketed in the European Union if they have already been pre-registered or registered. The baumeister & schack GmbH & Co. KG produces no chemical substances. Thus, we are in principle subject neither to registration nor the obligation to draw up safety data sheets.



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We hereby confirm that the Baumeister & Schack products and their components meet the legal requirements.

According to our current state of knowledge, we also confirm that no substances (SVHC) according to Annex XIV are contained in critical mass fractions.

The list of candidates for Annex XIV REACH-VO is being dynamically expanded so that reference can only be made to the substances that have since been included.

Our company is not liable for the pre- and post-registration of the products as we do not manufacture or use any new substances or substances that may be released from the products we supply to you.

baumeister & schack GmbH & Co. KG

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