

RoHS and REACH Policy

In line with its Environmental Policy and the Positive Retail Framework¹, SES-imagotag products comply with the EU REACH Regulation² and the EU RoHS Directive³. These are intended to reduce and restrict substances that are potentially harmful to humans and the environment.

The EU RoHS Directive stipulates that electrical and electronic products sold in the EU market may not contain lead, cadmium, mercury, Hexavalent chromium, polybrominated biphenyls (PBBs), polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDEs) and other controlled substances (including phthalates DEHP/BBP/DBP/DIBP).

The EU RoHS Directive thus seeks to limit the impact and exposure of consumers and the environment to specific hazardous substances. It also reduces occupational exposure when products or equipment are manufactured, recycled, or sent for final disposal. SES-imagotag ensures that all its products fully comply with all such requirements.

Under the EU REACH Regulation, all chemicals manufactured in the EU or imported into the EU market must be registered before the specified number of years where the annual volume used exceeds 1 metric ton.

SES-imagotag requires that all parts, components and raw materials provided by suppliers and used in SES-imagotag products are RoHS and REACH compliant. This is not only about complying with current laws and regulations but also about meeting customer needs and reducing any environmental impact.

¹ This sets out its commitment to protect the environment by achieving a low-waste, low-carbon and sustainable digital transformation of the retail sector.

² EU chemical control policy (Regulation for Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals - REACH)

³ Restriction of the Use of Certain Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment (RoHS)