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Material Compliance Compact — An Introduction

Material Compliance defines the adherence to substance-related requirements for products and materials throughout the entire supply chain. It forms the foundation for market access, product safety, and sustainability. With continually increasing and globally interconnected regulations such as REACH, RoHS, the POP Regulation, EUDR, and ESPR, it is becoming ever more important for companies and their competitiveness to understand and implement the relationships between legal requirements, internal processes, and technical data formats.

>> OBJECTIVE

You will gain a solid overview of the fundamentals and objectives of Material Compliance. You will understand the structure and impact of relevant European and international legal acts, as well as the role of declaration formats as technical implementation tools.

After the seminar, you will be able to classify requirements, identify the most important standards, and assess their relevance for sustainability, supply chains, and product development.

Your advantage: You establish a solid foundation in the area of material compliance, thereby reducing risks associated with meeting legal and customer-specific requirements.

>> TOPICS COVERED

Fundamentals and objectives of Material Compliance

- Definition and key terminology
- Evolution of materials compliance
- Purpose and benefits

Legal framework in Europe and worldwide

- Overview of key EU legal acts
- Distinction between EU Directives and EU Regulations
- Overview of global legal acts
- Strategic importance for sustainability, ESG, and supply-chain reporting

Declaration formats, industry standards, and conformity confirmation

- Purpose and function of declaration formats for sub-stance communication
- IPC-175x series – international standards for material declarations
- IEC 62474 – Material Declaration for Products of and for the Electrotechnical Industry
- Differences between partial and full material declarations
- ISO 17050-1 – Supplier's Declaration of Conformity (SDoC)
- Practical example of full declaration, partial declaration, and conformity confirmation

Future developments and trends

- Global harmonization and new reporting obligations
- Current initiatives and regulatory developments
- Importance of interoperable declaration formats and digital supply chains

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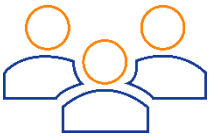
Teaching Method

Lecture with demonstrations and discussion

Duration

120 Minutes plus break



Max. Number of Participants

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>> TARGET GROUP

Professionals and managers working in Quality Management, Environmental Management, Product Development, Purchasing, Supplier Management, Regulatory Affairs, Sustainability, Corporate Compliance, and Management Systems—as well as anyone seeking a solid overview of the field of materials compliance.

>> PERSONAL PREREQUISITES

No specific prior knowledge is required. A basic technical understanding or experience in a product-related environment is helpful but not mandatory.

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