

# NEWSLETTER

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## REGULATORY NEWSFLASH

### SCC International

#### SCC establishes a presence in UK

SCC has recently founded [SCC Scientific Consulting Company UK Ltd.](#), which is an important milestone ensuring the continuity of our regulatory support on the UK market.

SCC UK will initially be dedicated to providing Only Representative services under the UK REACH regime. However, we see this is a great opportunity and a significant contribution to develop our services for our customers across the world.

Please [contact our experts](#) if you want to know more about the impact of new UK regulatory regime on your products and how we can help you.

### UK REACH:

#### Grandfathering – all you should know about legal entity transfers

Chemicals legislation in the UK after the end of the transition period (31st December 2020) is subject to the ongoing EU-UK trade negotiations, and the precise details are still being decided. In case there will be no agreement between the EU and UK on how to handle chemicals and access to the ECHA or EU REACH, a “No Deal” scenario, the so called UK REACH, will be implemented.

Under UK REACH, existing EU REACH registrations held by UK-based companies (including registrations held by an existing OR) will be automatically ‘transferred’ and become UK registrations, so called “grandfathering”.

According to the UK Health Safety Executive (HSE), to be “grandfathered” into UK REACH, a UK company should have a EU registration granted at some point from the date the UK indicated its intention to leave the EU. The company would not necessarily have to be the registration holder on the day the UK officially left the EU (31st January 2020) or at the end of the transition period. This means, UK companies could transfer their registrations to other EU companies before the end of the transition period, and still see their EU registrations grandfathered into UK REACH.

### SCC’s Online Academy

#### SCC is launching a series of short video posts on regulatory topics

In light of COVID-19 restrictions and numerous cancellations of regulatory meetings and conferences, SCC is launching a series of short video posts highlighting a number of regulatory topics. The first two posts are on:

- [KKDIK – Turkey REACH](#)
- [UK REACH](#)

Follow SCC on [our YouTube regulatory video channel](#).

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