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**Avnet**  
**Toxic Substances Control Act PFAS Reporting and Recordkeeping Requirements**  
**Policy Statement**

Avnet, Inc., including its subsidiaries (collectively “Avnet”, “we”), is committed to compliance with the Toxic Substances Control Act (“TSCA”) requirements regarding the reporting and recordkeeping of per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (“PFAS”).

Under the TSCA Section 8(a)(7) PFAS regulations issued by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (“EPA”), any person who manufactured or imported a chemical substance that is a PFAS (as defined by the regulations) at any time since January 1, 2011 is required to report information concerning the PFAS to the EPA by January 11, 2026. Per the regulations, importers of PFAS in articles are considered PFAS manufacturers. The information to be reported includes the common name, chemical identity and structure of the PFAS, the amount of PFAS manufactured and/or imported, and use of the PFAS-containing product.

Avnet is a global technology distributor and solutions provider. We do not manufacture, import, or distribute PFAS in the United States, but we do import articles into the United States for use in the electronics sector. Since PFAS have been used historically in electronic components, Avnet intends to conduct a due diligence review of information in its possession regarding articles imported since January 1, 2011, and a reasonable inquiry of its suppliers concerning the potential presence of regulated PFAS in the articles Avnet imported into the United States. These steps will ensure that Avnet is reporting “known or reasonably ascertainable” information, as required by the regulation.

Avnet expects its suppliers to respond to requests for information related to the potential PFAS content of their articles imported by Avnet. Avnet also encourages its suppliers to adopt similar policies, due diligence frameworks, and management systems regarding the use of PFAS in their processes, products, and supply chain.