

# Simcenter SCADAS WEEE compliance statement

Starting from August 13<sup>th</sup> 2005, manufacturers, sales organizations and distributors for the market within the European Union must be compliant with the WEEE directive of the European parliament (directive 2012/19/EU).

This European directive intends to assure that waste of electrical and electronic equipment is not polluting the environment but is recycled as much as possible.

Siemens actively supports this initiative and therefore has implemented the following structure to put this directive into practice:

- All Simcenter SCADAS products produced or shipped by Siemens Industry Software Netherlands BV after August 13<sup>th</sup> 2005 have a label with the pictogram of a crossed wastebasket:



- Meaning that you, as a customer, can either take the responsibility of disposing of any electrical or electronic waste yourself or make use of the option Siemens offers you.
- The local offices or distributors are defined as collection points. All Simcenter SCADAS waste equipment can be returned to your local office.
- The local office will ship this equipment to the original production site in Breda (NL). Decisions on either refurbishment or responsible disposal are taken there, in accordance with the WEEE directive and the national implementation of that directive.