



Christmas Greetings and December 2019 regulatory newsletter RNI

Dear colleagues,

Merry christmas and happy new year, enjoy the end of 2019 wishing you to start new profitable business in 2020. Here after you will find the last newsletter of 2019, looking for write you again in 2020.

CLP

The results from the sixth EU-wide Enforcement Forum project (REF-6) have been published. The aim of this forum was to focus on the classification and labelling of mixtures. From the main findings came out that 44 % of reported mixtures were non-compliant in some way and 17 % of the reported mixtures were using an incorrect classification, that may lead to an improper labelling.

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The EU Commission has adopted a delegated act amending the CLP. According to this, the Commission has postpone the first date of compliance for the submission of harmonised information to poison centres for mixtures intended for consume use, by one year to 21 January of 2021.

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It is available in 23 EU languages the guidance (version 2) on harmonised information relating to health emergency response - Annex VIII to CLP. The updated version (3) of the guidance, containing the recent Annex VIII amendments (postpone of the first compliance date), will be published in 2020.

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REACH

Two restrictions adopted by the The Committee for Risk Assessment (RAC) and the Committee for Socio-economic Analysis (SEAC) have been concluded. The SEAC support the proposal on N,N-dimethylformamide (DMF). The RAC adopted its opinion, in support of the restriction proposal of Siloxanes (D4, D5 and D6). Furthermore, RAC has adopted 10 opinions on harmonised classification and labelling.

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Five new public consultations on testing proposal have been introduced by ECHA. The latest date to submit information for the testing proposal is 31/01/2020. Twelve open public consultations on testing proposal are present at the moment.

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ECHA plans to amplify CSR's completeness check, to guarantee that the registration dossiers contain all the required elements under REACH. The revised completeness check will be introduced with the release of a new version of IUCLID in April 2020.

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REACH restrictions of the following substances begin applying in 2020. The conditions of restrictions and more information can be found at the link of each substance:

[BPA in thermal paper](#)

[D4, D5 in wash-off cosmetics](#)

[1-methyl-2-pyrrolidone \(NMP\)](#)

[33 CMRs in textiles and footwear](#)

BPR-BIOCIDES

Seven opinions supporting the approval of four active substances and two opinions for Union authorisation have been adopted by The Biocidal Products Committee (BPC). The BPC opinions adopted concern on application of the following active substances: Icaridin; Cyanamide; Formaldehyde; Carbendazim. The BPC also adopted positive opinions on two applications for Union authorisation of a biocidal product family based on propan-2-ol and iodine/PVP.

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An action plan to improve the biocidal active substance approval process, has been reported by European Agency. ECHA is preparing guidelines to support evaluating competent authorities (eCAs) when evaluating confidentiality claims in the application for endorsement of an active substance or a biocidal product authorization. They will be prepared in early 2020. The agency has also developed guidance and letter templates for eCAs requiring to inquire companies for additional information.

SERVICE INFORMATION

- ECHA will be closed from 23 December 2019 to 6 January 2020 inclusive. Moreover, the offices of ECHA are moving to a new building on January 2020. The new offices can be found at Telakkakatu 6, 00150 Helsinki, Finland. The postal address will not change and remain as P.O. Box 400, FI-00121 Helsinki, Finland.
- It will not be possible to logging into ECHA's IT applications and websites on Thursday 19 December from 7:30 to 8:00 Helsinki time due to a system upgrade.
- Due to maintenance, on Friday 20 December from 9:00 to 10:00, REACH-IT will not be available.

Our offices will remain closed from 23 December 2019 to 6 January of 2020

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