

Comité REACH – BCR 2021/06 (Belgisch Comité REACH)

Closed Comité REACH 30/09/2021 (9.30) + Open 14.00

PV closed session

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OPEN SESSIE BCR - starts at 14.00

1 restriction PFHxA (+ PFAS)	14.00-14.30	Alber & Geiger	
	14.30-15.00	EPEE	
2 restriction Lead in PVC	15.00-15.30	Plastics Recyclers Europe (PRE)	
	15.30-16.00	Essencia (TBC)	
Closing of the open session			

GESLOTEN SESSIE BCR - starts at 9.30h and a second session 16.00-16.20

AGENDA ITEM		DOCS/ SUBJECT	PROCEDURE
1. Approbation de l'agenda	1.1	Agenda 30-09-2021	FOR DECISION
2. Approbation du compte rendu	2.1	Draft PV du 15-06-2021 – closed + open BCR Written comments /endorsement (2 weeks) – no comments were received by the sectrariat >the PV is endorsed.	FOR DECISION
3. Informatie / Consultaties			
	3.1	Next annex XIV	for Info/consult
	3.2	COM proposal update Annex XIV written comments	For consultation
	3.3	Confidential annex scPFAS report CCIEP La partie non confidentielle du dosument est partagée > l'annexe est confidentielle > a été uploadée sur le sharepoint (le rapport lui- même). le rapport à été discuté en GDPC et il a été discuté de demander une prolongation du groupe afin de compléter le rapport vu les développements en BE. - WG quid du group CIMES (candidatures > Augustus) Demande de 2 ou 1 seul groupe ? si possible.	For Consultation

		Les experts prennent note mais les discussions devront se tenir sous CCPIE > le followup sera fait là ainsi qu'à la CIMES pour le/les groupes.	
	3.4	Draft BE comment on COM Annex XIV update (REACH committee Annex XIV)	For consultation
	3.5	BE CA comments ENV PC CLH propyl 3,4,5-trihydroxybenzoate	For info
	3.6	BE CA comments ENV HH PC CLH propyl 3,4,5-trihydroxybenzoate	For info
	3.7	PFHxA restriction_SEAC draft opinion_Call for contribution Information sur les possibles émission/ rien n'a été reçu .Le REACH CA a introduit un commentaire en son nom (policy input) Maintenant le dossier est au SEAC pour finaliser le dossier . -prévu au SEAC pour Déc (+ 3mois COM) > le dossier devrait être traité en comité l'année prochaine .	For consultation
	3.8	PFHxA restriction_SEAC draft opinion_BECA comment (voir point 3.7)	For info
	3.9	Contribution to the second stakeholder consultation on the general PFAS restriction – proposal La restriction générale pour PFAS – call for	For consultation

		evidence (survey focus sur les IND) mais le questionnaire a été aussi envoyée au BCR pour contributions si des infos sont disponibles. On y voit aussi les différents secteurs et le futur focus de la restriction > deadline survey 19/10 . Dossier prévu dans 1 année !	
	3.10	Lead in PVC – feedback > R Committee Written note uploaded o Sharepoint (29/9) Initial feeling without any new proposal . The portion of PVC (> Window-frames with high % of lead) it seems that the sector will goes in closed loop. For the ... PVC no possible to prevent the leaching of the lead.(no possible coating) For the labelling > COM should propose a wording 'may content Pb'> purpose of the labelling (> consumers?; enforcement?; ensupre a separate collection ??) Timing not clear > Cf 2 intervention in the afternoon during the Closed session.	For info
	3.11	Microplastics	For info/consultation

		- Update of the dossier The dossier is not yet on the table – not foreseen for December > 2022 ! 2 complementary request were send to the RAC (1. Organic polymers in the scope or not 2. Rubber granulates Both were not yet published - WCSR request Thx to [redacted] for his implication on the dossier -solubility & Biodegradability. 3 advices questions on microplastics ➤ 1 already presented ➤ 1 biodegradable ➤ Solubility 4 experts were identified to work on the 1st advice but no one for the 2 others. [redacted] – il existe the rubber granulates restriction , add another on microplastics est un peu over ? Ok PAH dans rubber mais aussi problématique des microplastics > sportsfields. BE position avait demandé de traiter les 2 en même temps. Les 2 avis supplémentaires de RAC ont été votés	
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		en Juin . (mais ECHA ne les a pas encore publiés - sous le coude).	
	3.12	Future annex XV BPS (SVHC) Substance evaluation , le BPS date de 2014 – on a déjà déposé un dossier de CLH – adopté par le RAC mais la classification n’est pas encore dans l’annexe VI> cela va être ajouté. Il ya des études pour ED pour HH et ENV. ➤ Annex XV pour identification comme SVHC - pour BPS en février. Timing serré , car DE travaille a une restriction pour le BPA et substanes remplaçant le BPA. ➤ Pour aider à cette restriciton on agit vite sur cette substance. On doit encore finir donc asap le SEV ccls + RMOA+Annex XV.	For info
	3.13	AFA - DEHP – plastic planet, - OPE lab issues, - Belgian (Fl) company now on the table for CTPht & AO Presentation by [] will be uploaded on	For info

		sharepoint New chair in the REACH committee > want to proceed as soon as possible with the AFAs. Draft 10 calender days before the meeting MS should send the comments (before the meeting) Discuss during 1 committee meeting Update the draft for written comments 10 days And written procedure 30 days (Y,N-abstain) DEHP – ongoing court case : Is it legally possible to change the route – art. 60(2) vs 60(4) - for a review? + ED properties were not taken into account while already known and on candidate list, but not yet added to annex XIV. NPE-OPEs . Proposition to shorten the revieww period where the conditions are vague(same for CTPhT) - written comments introduced ➤ If not changed abstain . And support ☐ regarding the feasibility studies to reduce the ENV exposition : add a deadline so the reduction is introduced in the beginning of the 12y review period) All the AFA dossiers and the	
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		commenting/position were uploaded yesterday (29/09) 2 IVD test kit manufacturers/distributors didn't introduce a application for the DUs (Labs) they want to use the SR&D exemption >in SR&D: 'controlled condition' - unclear what this means in practice Here it's not described in the dossier > we don't know if it is collected & treated or mixed with other waste water > diluted & going down the drain to the STP. Can they treat the waste water in clinical labs? BE 'll introduce a written comment and ask another discussion before a vote. Flu vaccine with OPE > wastes (regions) CTPhT (UVCB – PAH) -PBT-vPvB – clay targets Refuse the dossiers (ECHA recommended refusal) Bad dossiers + Agree to refuse the dossiers + vote statement on the horizontal suitable alternatives recitals . CTPhT formulation and intermediate use . (incl. a BE company)	
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		Deadline sur toutes les fiches uploadées hier 7/10 – 9.00	
	3.14	Proposed procedure for the AFA > COM Written procedures	For info
	3.15	FR AnxXV – Creosote - Restriction: Survey to MSs (BE contribution to reply to the FR survey – Restriction XVII entry 31: Amendment) We reply to FR on their intention to amend the current restriction on creosote. ➤ Under the biocide directive but the reuse of these products are not covered and FR wants to clarify these aspects. our answer was uploaded on 29/9 ➤ But questions remain for the regions competences (data on reuse of wooden materials , BXL region has a legal consideration >can BXL share the info) End of life disposal and recovery of these treated wood (? what happened at the end of life) Deadline (already passed but we propose mid-october – 12 th October)	For consultation
Restriction and Forum = pour le Be forum – as pilote for Restriction . nbr of provisions in the restrictions and are by nature attribute to a Fed or Regions . Don't give a general overview sur toutes les mesures qui doivent être faites par le forum. For autorisation – for Cr or OEP-NPE.			

4. Beslissingen			
4.1. FOR DECISION			
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4.2. FOR DECISION (BCR WRITTEN PROCEDURE) : FOR ENDORSEMENT			
	4.2.1	FR AnxXV initiative – Creosote - Restriction: Survey to MSs (BE contribution to reply to the FR survey – Restriction XVII entry 31: Amendment)	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.2	0169.01 AfA - BCR position - OPE_Janssen_v17-06-2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.3	0135.01 AfA - BCR position - CrO3_Thyssen	FOR DECISION

		El_v17-06-2021	(ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.4	0138.01 AfA - BCR position - OPE_Boehringer_v17-06-2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.5	0139.02 AfA - BCR position - OPE_Ortho_v17-06-2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.6	0145.01-02 AfA – BCR position – OPE_Biomarin_v17-06-2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.7	0168.01 AfA - BCR position - OPE_Abbot2_v17-06-2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.8	0162.01 AfA - BCR position - OPE_Nordisk_v17-06-2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.9	0159.01 AfA - BCR position - OPE_Ompi_v17.06.2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.10	0161.01 AfA - BCR position - OPE_Vetter_v17-06-2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.11	0088.01-02 AfA - BCR position - Diglyme_Acton_v17-06-2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN

			PROCEDURE)
	4.2.12	Diglyme_Acton2_Final - LW ok	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.13	DEHP_Plastic Planet_Final1	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.14	0123.01.02 AfA - BCR position - DEHP_PlasticPlanet_v21-06-2021_clean	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.15	DEHP plastic planet - vote against supporting DE & FR - concerns ongoing court case	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.16	CTPHT Bilbaina clay targets - refusal authorization	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.17	CTPHT Deza clay targets - refusal authorisation	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.18	CTPHT Nalon intermediate use - partial grant	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.19	CTPHT AO Bilbaina intermediate use - partial grant - shorten review period for workers?	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.20	CTPHT AO Koppers intermediate use - partial	FOR DECISION

		grant	(ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.21	CTPHT AO Rain Carbon DE intermediate use - partial grant	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.22	ZELZATE - CTPHT AO Rain Carbon BE intermediate use - partial grant	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.23	NPE cytiva prelim BE comments- AfA - BCR position - NPE_cytiva_v15-09-2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.24	NPE sekisui prelim BE comments - AfA - BCR position - NPE_Sekisui_v15-09-2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.25	NPE sebia prelim BE comments- AfA - BCR position - OPE_EliLilly_v15-09-2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.26	OPE octapharma prelim BE comments-AfA - BCR position - OPE_Octapharma_v15-09-2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.27	OPE sanofi prelim BE comments - AfA - BCR position - OPE_Sanofi_v15-09-2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.28	OPE sebia prelim BE comments - AfA - BCR position - OPE_Sebia_v16-09-2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)

	4.2.29	OPE stago prelim BE comments - AfA - BCR position - OPE_Stago_v16-09-2020	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
	4.2.30	OPE kedrion prelim BE comments - AfA - BCR position - OPE_Kedrion_v16-09-2021	FOR DECISION (ENDORSEMENT OF WRITTEN PROCEDURE)
5. AOB	5.1	Workshop en AUT-REST (precidency) And another for the stakeholders (some days after). The MS will be recorded (ccls at least) for the stakholders.	FOR INFO
	5.2	Call for info > ECHA on future restriction dossiers. - CTPHT - Antracene oil - 2,4 DNT & futures discussion en R Committee . Overview of the future restriction : More efficient que auth > but timing with a large lag Pending dossiers: formaldehyde and releasers Skin sensitizers in textile Lead in PVC (see above)	FOR info

		Microplastics (see above) D4,D5,D6 Calcium cyanamide in fertilizers	
	5.3	KB defense exemptions update (Biocide, CLH et REACH) en lien avec les notifications de la SCIP DB. Suite a des demandes de la défense (non encore reçue officiellement) , la procedure a été remise à jour , et donc si les régions veulent nous informer d'un contact qui sera notifié les decisions.	For info
	5.4	Lead restriction in fishing takkels Demande de la region WL – on a commenté durant la consultation publique . mais WL actor a aussi soumis un commentaire .	
	5.5	HBM4EU final conference Annonce d'un symposium fin avril à BXL (projet étendu vers juin 2022) PARC soumis Et	
	5.6	National inspectorate plan 2021 REACH – will be uploaded on the Sharepoint for the members.	

6. Volgende vergadering closed session Virtual/office?	6.1	Volgende BCR? Open + closed 7/12 (record the meeting) ➤ For 2022 a doodle will be send and the dates fixed during the next meeting in dec.	For decision