

Provisional Draft Agenda
30th meeting of the Committee for Socio-economic Analysis

8 - 11 March 2016

ECHA Conference Centre (Annankatu 18, Helsinki)

8 March starts at 9.00
11 March ends at 13.30

Item 1 – Welcome and Apologies

Item 2 – Adoption of the Agenda

SEAC/A/30/2016
For adoption

Item 3 – Declarations of conflicts of interest to the Agenda

Item 4 – Report from other ECHA bodies and activities

- a) Report on SEAC-29 action points, written procedures and update on other ECHA bodies

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- b) Feedback from the Commission on SEAC opinions

For information and discussion

- c) Use of SEA in the REACH regulation and the European Parliament's resolution on DEHP

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Item 5 – Restrictions

5.1 General restriction issues

- a) Report from the Restrictions workshop held in Brussels on 19-20 January 2016

For information

5.2 Restriction Annex XV dossiers

- a) Opinion development

- 1) Methanol – draft final opinion

For adoption

- 2) D4/D5 – third draft opinion

For agreement

5.3 Appointment of (co-)rapporteurs for restriction dossiers

For information

Item 6 – Authorisation

6.1 General authorisation issues

- a) Update on incoming/future applications

For information

6.2 Authorisation applications

- a) Outcome of the conformity check and presentation of the key issues

1. Sodium dichromate-Brenntag
2. Potassium dichromate-Brenntag
3. Chromium tris(chromate)-Henkel
4. Strontium chromate-Akzo Nobel
5. Potassium hydroxyoctaoxodizincatedichromate-PPG
6. Sodium dichromate-Akzo Nobel
7. Sodium dichromate-Solvay
8. Sodium dichromate-Arkema
9. Sodium dichromate-Ercros
10. Sodium dichromate-Electroquimica
11. Sodium dichromate-Kemira
12. Sodium dichromate-Caffaro Brescia
13. Chromium trioxide-Federal-Mogul Friedberg
14. Chromium trioxide-Federal-Mogul Valvetrain
15. Chromium trioxide-Federal-Mogul Burscheid
16. Chromic acid-Bosch
17. Chromium trioxide-Circuit Foil Luxembourg
18. Arsenic acid-Circuit Foil Luxembourg
19. Chromium trioxide and dichromium tris(chromate)-Nexter Mechanics
20. Chromium trioxide-Praxair

21. Potassium dichromate-Sofradir
22. Sodium dichromate-Lanxess
23. Ammonium dichromate-Micrometal
24. Chromium trioxide-Cromomed
25. Chromium trioxide-Rimex Metals
26. EDC-BASF
27. Diglyme-Novartis

For discussion and agreement

b) First version of the draft opinion:

1. Chromium trioxide-Kromatek

Use 1: Use of chromium trioxide in Cr(VI) based functional plating

2. Chromium trioxide-Grohe

Use 1: The use of chromium trioxide for electroplating of different types of substrates with the purpose of creating a long-lasting, high durability surface with a shiny or matte look (also called 'functional plating with decorative character')

Use 2: The use of Chromium Trioxide for pre-treatment step in the electroplating process

For discussion and agreement

c) Second version of the draft opinion:

1. Six uses of chromium trioxide submitted by *LANXESS Deutschland GmbH* on behalf of a group of companies (**Chromium trioxide 1**):

Use 1: Formulation of mixtures

Use 2: Functional chrome plating

Use 3: Functional chrome plating with decorative character

Use 4: Surface treatment for applications in the aeronautics and aerospace industries, unrelated to Functional chrome plating or Functional plating with decorative character

Use 5: Surface treatment (except ETP) for applications in various industry sectors namely architectural, automotive, metal manufacturing and finishing, and general engineering

Use 6: Passivation of tin-plated steel (ETP)

For discussion and agreement

d) Final opinion:

1. One use of sodium dichromate submitted by *Boliden Mineral AB* (**Sodium dichromate 1**):

Use 1: The use of sodium dichromate in copper/lead separation in concentrators handling complex sulphide ores

2. One use of 1,2-dichloroethane submitted by *Laboratoires Expanscience (EDC 1)*:

Use 1: process and extracting solvent in fine chemical processes

For discussion and adoption

6.3 Appointment of (co-)rapporteurs for authorisation applications

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Item 7 – AOB

- a) Update of the work plan

For information

- b) Report from the PBT working group

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Item 8 – Action points and main conclusions of SEAC-30

Table with Conclusions and Action points from SEAC-30

For adoption

PROVISIONAL TIMELINE FOR THE DISCUSSIONS AT SEAC-30

Please note that this timeline is provisional. Changes can be made before and during the meeting in order to accommodate the discussions.

8 March (Tuesday): Morning session

- 9.00-9.30: Item 1 – Welcome and Apologies
- 9.30-9.35: Item 2 – Adoption of the Agenda
- 9.35-9.40: Item 3 – Declarations of conflicts of interest to the Agenda
- 9.40-11.10: Item 4 – Report from other ECHA bodies and activities

11.00-11.30: Coffee break

- 11.30-11.40: Item 5.1 – General restriction issues
- 11.40-13.00: Item 5.2a-2 – Restrictions: D4/D5 (slot I)

13.00-14.00: Lunch

8 March (Tuesday): Afternoon session

- 14.00-16.00: Item 6.2c-1 – AfA: Chromium trioxide 1 (slot I)
- 16.00-16.20: Coffee break***
- 16.20-17.20: Item 6.2a-26, 27 – AfA:
EDC-BASF
Diglyme-Novartis
- 17.20-18.20: Item 6.2b-1 – AfA: Chromium trioxide-Kromatek

Possibility for ad-hoc meetings

9 March (Wednesday): Morning session

- 9.00-10.00: Item 5.2a-2 – Restrictions: D4/D5 (slot II)
- 10.00-11.30: Item 6.2b-2 – AfA: Chromium trioxide-Grohe
- 11.30-11.50: Coffee break***
- 11.50-13.00: Item 6.2a-25, 24, 23 – AfA:
Chromium trioxide-Rimex metals
Chromium trioxide-Cromomed
Ammonium dichromate-Micrometal

13.00-14.00: Lunch

9 March (Wednesday): Afternoon session

- 14.00-15.30: Item 6.2a-1, 2, 3, 4, 5 – AfA:
Sodium dichromate-Brenntag
Potassium dichromate-Brenntag
Dichromium tris(chromate)-Henkel
Strontium chromate-Akzo Nobel
Potassium hydroxyoctaoxoizincatedichromate-PPG
- 15.30-16.10: Item 6.2a-13, 14, 15 – AfA:
Chromium trioxide-Federal-Mogul Friedberg
Chromium trioxide-Federal-Mogul Valvetrain
Chromium trioxide-Federal-Mogul Burscheid

16.10-16.30: Coffee break

- 16.30-17.10: Item 6.2a-16 – AfA:
Chromium acid-Bosch
- 17.10-17.30: Item 6.2a-17 – AfA:
Chromium trioxide-Circuit Foil Luxembourg
- 17.30-17.50: Item 6.2a-18 – AfA:
Arsenic acid- Circuit Foil Luxembourg

Informal dinner

10 March (Thursday): Morning session

- 9.00-11.00: Item 6.2a-19 – AfA:
Chromium trioxide and dichromium tris(chromate)-Nexter Mechanics

11.00-11.20: Coffee break

- 11.20-13.00: Item 6.2a-6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 – AfA:
Sodium dichromate-Akzo Nobel
Sodium dichromate-Solvay
Sodium dichromate-Arkema
Sodium dichromate-Ercros
Sodium dichromate-Electroquimica
Sodium dichromate-Kemira
Sodium dichromate-Caffaro Brescia

13.00-14.00: Lunch

10 March (Thursday): Afternoon session

- 14.00-14.20: Item 6.2a-20 – AfA:
Chromium trioxide-Praxair
- 14.20-15.00: Item 6.2a-21 – AfA:
Potassium dichromate-Sofradir
- 15.00-15.20: Item 6.2a-11 – AfA:
Sodium dichromate-Lanxess

15.20-15.40: *Coffee break*

- 15.40-17.40: Item 5.2a-1 – Restrictions: Methanol
17.40-18.10: Item 6.2d-1, 2 – AfA (finalisation of opinions):
Sodium dichromate 1
EDC1

11 March (Friday): Morning session

- 9.00-9.10: Item 6.3 – Appointment of (co-)rapporteurs for AfA (closed session)
9.10-9.20: Item 5.3 – Appointment of (co-)rapporteurs for restriction dossiers

9.20-11.20 Item 6.2c-1 – AfA: Chromium trioxide 1 (slot II)

11.20-11.50: *Coffee break*

- 11.50-12.00: Item 6.1a – General authorisation issues
12.00-13.00: Item 7 - AOB
13.00-13.30: Item 8 – Action points and main conclusions of SEAC-30