

**Member of the  
Committee for Socio-economic Analysis (SEAC)**



**1. Name (FAMILY NAME, First Name )**

- LUIT, Richard  Ms. /  Mr

**2. Nominated by (MS/Committee):**

- The Netherlands

**3. Nationality:**

- Dutch

**4. Education:**

- Engineer Environmental Sciences (MSc.), Wageningen University, The Netherlands
- Bachelor Environmental Sciences, van Hall Institute, Groningen, the Netherlands

**5. Relevant Employment**

*Present:*

- 2012-present: SENIOR POLICY ADVISOR at Centre for safety of substances and products, member of NL BUREAU REACH. National Institute for Public Health and the Environment (RIVM)

*Relevant previous employment:*

- 2004-2012; POLICY OFFICER at NL BUREAU REACH. National Institute for Public Health and the Environment (RIVM)
- 2001-2004: PROJECT MANAGER NEW SUBSTANCES (NONS) & SENIOR RISK ASSESSOR at RIVM
- 1997-2001: STUDY DIRECTOR ECOTOXICOLOGY (INDUSTRIAL CHEMICALS AND PLANT PROTECTION PRODUCTS) at Notox BV.

**6. Relevant fields of in-depth expertise:**

Area of expertise	Description
Regulatory toxicology and risk assessment	Risk assessor, classification and labelling specialist, study director.
Risk management	Policy advisor for Dutch government, in depth knowledge on chemicals management options across regulatory frameworks. Supply and use as well as transport related.
Socio-economic analysis	Experience as SEAC advisor, involved in opinion development of various restriction and authorisation cases. Involved in developing cost benefit assessments for the Dutch government (e.g. flame retardants use in indoor furniture). Member of NL team developing a benchmark approach for PBT/vPvB substances based on cost effectiveness data

**7. Membership of relevant professional bodies:**

- Member of GESAMP-EHS joint group of experts on the scientific aspects of marine environmental protection

**8. Other Relevant Information:**