

Agenda
Thirty fourth meeting of the
Forum for Exchange of Information on Enforcement
(Forum-34)
4-7 November 2019

European Chemicals Agency
Helsinki, Finland
Monday, 4 November: starts at 15:00
Thursday, 7 November: ends at 15:30

CLOSED SESSION Day 1, Monday 4 November 2019

Item 1 – Welcome and Introduction 15:00-15:15

- 1.1 Opening by the Chair of the Forum – *Chair*
- 1.2 Adoption of the Agenda – *Chair*
- 1.3 Declarations of conflict of interest with regard to agenda items – *Chair*
- 1.4 State of play with action points from Forum-33 – *ECHA Forum Secretariat*
- 1.5 Report of the written procedures and other issues between Forum-33 and Forum-34 - *Chair*

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Item 2 – Forum’s activities related to POPs 15:15-15:45

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Item 3 – Forum’s enforcement activities 15:45-16:45

- 3.1 *Prioritisation of REF projects (60’)*
 - 3.1.1 *WG progress report - WG Chair*
 - 3.1.2 *Mandate amendment - ECHA Forum Secretariat*

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Item 4 – Preparation for the open session

16:45-17:45

Discussion of the topics to be addressed in the open session

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Item 5– Adoption of conclusions from day 1

17:45-18:00

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Day 2, Tuesday 5 November 2019

OPEN SESSION (OS)

Item OS 1 – Welcome and Introduction to the OPEN SESSION 09:00-09:10

Welcome to the Stakeholders – *Forum Chair*

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Item OS 2 – Opening address by ECHA's Director of Prioritisation and Integration 09:10-09:20

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Item OS 3 – Joint initiative ECHA Forum – ECHA ASOs on Improvement of the quality of SDSs 09:20-10:15

OS 3.1.1 Final report of the WG on Joint initiative on improvement of the quality of SDS – *WG Chair*

OS 3.1.2 European Automobile Manufacturers Association (ACEA) - Guidelines used in automotive sector for SDS and EUPhraC catalogue – *Anita Hillmer*

OS 3.2 Mandate amendment and closing of the WG - *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

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Item OS 4 – Discussion topics proposed by ASOs 10:15-16:00

OS 4.1 AeroSpace and Defence Industries Association of Europe - *Support for companies facing REACH-induced Supply Chain Disruption (30')* - Steve George

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OS 4.2 Downstream Users of Chemicals Coordination Group (DUCC) - *Industry Guidance at a Glance: Raising awareness of CLP obligations in the supply chain (25')* – Dominic Byrne

OS 4.3 EURATEX - *Level playing field for consumer safety in textile products (25')* – Mauro Scalia

OS 4.4 European Environmental Bureau (EEB) & BUND - *No data, no market? (50')* - Dolores Romano

OS 4.5 FuelsEurope - *Maintaining REACH registrations up-to-date: The petroleum industry's approach (15')* – Inneke Claes

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- OS 4.6 Cefic - *Cefic's REACH Dossier Improvement Action Plan* (30') - Mariana Fernandes de Barros
- OS 4.7 Eurometaux - *Self-classifications: Of no value without enforcement* (25') - Jaime Sales
- OS 4.8 PlasticsEurope – *Enforceability of Restrictions in the absence of analytical methods* (25') - Karl Weilandt
- OS 4.9 Humane Society International – *New approach methodologies (NAMs) for Improved Chemical & Product Safety Assessment – An Education & Training Opportunity* (20') - Lidia Ceriani
- OS 4.10 PETA International Consortium - *Ensuring enforcement of Articles 13(1) and 25(1) of REACH* (20') - Julia Baines

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Item OS 5 – Updates from the Forum	16:40-17:25
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- OS 5.1 Update on the scope of REF projects (15') – *Chair of WG Prioritisation*
- OS 5.2 Forum's projects to be finalised during 2019 (30')
- *REF-6 – WG Chair*
 - *Pilot Project on Substances in Articles - WG Chair*

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Item OS 6 – Actions taken by COM to improve the involvement of customs in REACH enforcement	17:25-17:50
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Item OS 7 – Conclusions and actions points from the open session	17:50-18:00
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Item OS 8 – End of the open session	18:00
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CLOSED SESSION Day 3, Wednesday 6 November 2019

Item 6 – Debriefing from the open session

09:00-09:15

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**Item 3 – Forum’s enforcement activities
(Continuation from Day 1)**

09:15-11:55

3.2 Member States reporting (20')

3.2.1 WG progress report – *WG Chair*

3.2.2 Mandate amendment- *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

3.3 Interlinks (30')

3.3.1 WG progress report – *WG Chair*

3.3.2 Mandate amendment- *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

3.4 Enforceability of Restrictions (30')

3.4.1 WG progress report - *WG Chair*

3.4.2 Mandate amendment - *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

3.5 Third pilot project on authorisation (15')

3.5.1 WG progress report - *WG Chair*

3.5.2 Mandate amendment - *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

3.6 REACH-EN-FORCE-7 on Registration (10')

3.6.1 WG progress report - *WG Chair*

3.6.2 Mandate amendment - *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

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3.7 Customs 2 (10')

3.7.1 WG progress report – *WG Chair*

3.7.2 Mandate amendment- *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

3.8 Implementation of Interact portal (15')

3.8.1 WG progress report – *WG Chair*

3.8.2 Update on ECHA IT tools - *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

3.8.3 Mandate amendment - *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

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Item 7 – Forum’s enforcement activities - Projects under finalisation

11:55-13:10

7.1 Training for enforcement trainers 2019 (20')

7.1.1 WG final report - *WG Chair*

7.1.2 Mandate closure - *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

7.2 Survey on OSH-REACH enforcement interactions (30')

7.2.1 WG final report – *WG Chair*

7.2.2 Mandate closure - *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

7.3 Pilot project on substances in articles (25')

7.3.1 Project report - *WG Chair*

7.3.2 Mandate closure - *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

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Lunch break 13:10 - 14:10

Item 8 – Forum’s enforcement activities – Upcoming projects

14:10-14:45

8.1 REACH-EN-FORCE 9 (10')

WG set-up - *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

8.2 Training for enforcement trainers 2020 (15')

WG set-up - *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

8.3 Pilot project on recovered substances (10')

WG set-up - *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

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Item 9 – Practical issues for enforcement of REACH and CLP

14:45-15:45

Items raised by Forum/ECHA/COM (list of practical issues is prepared independently from the agenda)

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Item 10 – Enforcement of ghost ORs - revocation after incompliance and bankruptcy 16:15-16:45

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Item 11 – Potential enforcement of REACH Article 11 16:45-17:25

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Item 12 – Enforcement projects in Member States 17:25-18:05

- 12.1 The Italian initiative to support the control of hazardous substances in tattoo inks – *IT Forum alternate*
- 12.2 Outcome of the Norwegian court case on dichloromethane paint strippers – *NO Forum alternate*

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Item 13 – Adoption of conclusions from day 3 18:05-18:20

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CLOSED SESSION Day 4, Thursday 7 November 2019

Item 14 – Update on relevant developments by the Commission

09:00-9:40

14.1 General updates by the European Commission

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Item 15 – Market Surveillance and Compliance Regulation

09:40-10:40

15.1 Introduction of the European Product Compliance Network (40') –
DG GROW

15.2 Cooperation between the Network and the Forum (20') – *Chair*

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Coffee break 10:40-11:10

Item 16 – Updates from the ECHA Secretariat

11:10-11:30

16.1 Update on the ruling by the ECJ on the authorisation case T-837/16
on lead chromates (15')

16.2 Follow-up of ECHA Decisions: updates from ECHA (5')

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Item 17 – Updates from the ECHA Forum Secretariat

11:30-11:40

17.1 Updated Rules of procedure (5')

17.2 Nominations for Forum Chairs: Election in Forum-35 (5')

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Item 18 – Updates from other networks

11:40-11:45

Updates from SLIC-CHEMEX (5')

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Item 19 – Debriefing of the meeting with ECHA Directors – REACH/CLP/PIC/POP issues

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Item 20 – Debriefing of the Forum Chair’s presentation at the Management Board meeting - REACH/CLP/PIC/POP issues	<i>12:00-12:05</i>
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Item 21 – A.O.B.	<i>12:05-12:20</i>
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Item 22 – Adoption of conclusions from day 4 – End of Forum session	<i>12:20-12:30</i>
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Lunch break 12:30 - 13:30

FORUM-BPRS JOINT SESSION (JS)

Item JS 1 – Welcome	<i>13:30-13:35</i>
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Welcome to BPRS members and to the joint session – *Forum Chair*

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Item JS 2 – Updates on the cooperation between Forum and BPR Subgroup	<i>13:35-13:50</i>
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Reports from Forum and BPRS Chairs

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Item JS 3 – Debriefing of the Forum Chair’s presentation at the Management Board meeting	<i>13:50-13:55</i>
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Item JS 5 – Joint enforcement projects	<i>14:05-14:45</i>
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JS 5.1 *REACH-EN-FORCE-6 on CLP (20’)*

JS 5.1.1 *WG final report - WG Chair*

JS 5.1.2 *Mandate closure - ECHA Forum Secretariat*

JS 5.2 *REACH-EN-FORCE-8 on on-line sale (10’)*

JS 5.2.1 *WG progress report - WG Chair*

JS 5.2.2 *Mandate amendment - ECHA Forum Secretariat*

JS 5.3 *Member States reporting (10')*
JS 5.3.1 WG progress report – *WG Chair*
JS 5.3.2 Mandate amendment- *ECHA Forum Secretariat*

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Item JS 6 – Demonstration of the Interact portal collaboration module	<i>14:45-15:15</i>
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Item JS 7– AOB	<i>15:15-15:20</i>
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Item JS 8– Adoption of conclusions from the joint session	<i>15:20-15:30</i>
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Item JS 9– End of the joint session	<i>15:30</i>
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Coffee available (continue demonstration of Interact in the lobby)

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