

MAIN CONCLUSIONS & ACTION POINTS - Forum-46

(Adopted at the Forum-46 meeting)

Agenda point	Conclusions / decisions / minority opinions	Action requested after the meeting
Item 1- Welcome and introduction		
1.2 Adoption of the Agenda	Agenda was adopted.	
1.3 Declarations of conflict of interest with regard to agenda items and quorum		
1.4 State of play with action points from Forum-45		
1.5 Results of the written procedures and other issues between Forum-45 and Forum-46		
Item 2 – Forum’s new projects and tasks		
<i>2.1 Next Forum pilot project on Poison Centre Notifications - Mandate set-up</i>	The Forum established the new WG for the pilot project on PCN.	Forum members and alternates are invited to volunteer to join the new WG or nominate the invited experts by 5 April 2024 Forum members are invited to nominate the National Coordinators by 14 June 2024 .
Item 3 – Forum’s enforcement activities - Ongoing projects		
<i>3.1 REF-13 on online sales II</i> <i>3.1.1 Scope of the project</i>	The Forum agreed on the specific scope of the REF-13 project.	Forum members are invited to nominate the REF-13 National Coordinator by 7 June (one of the trainees for the Tft2024).
3.1.2 Mandate amendment	The Forum revised the mandate.	
<i>3.2 Pilot project on classification of mixtures focusing on detergents and cleaning products</i> 3.2.1 Enforcement Guide		WG Pilot project on classification of mixtures is invited to send the guide for adoption by the Forum by 14 May
3.2.2 Mandate amendment	The Forum revised the mandate.	
<i>3.3.1 Prioritisation of REF projects</i>	The Forum revised the mandate.	
<i>3.3.2 REF-10 on integrated controls</i>	The Forum revised the mandate.	
<i>3.3.3 REF-11 on SDS</i>	The Forum revised the mandate.	

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3.3.4 REF-12 on control of imports	The Forum revised the mandate.	
3.3.5 Pilot project on enforcement of PFCA and related substances focusing on cosmetics	The Forum revised the mandate.	Forum Members, alternates and national coordinators are invited to join the WG by 12 April
3.3.6 WG for examining the enforcement-related impacts on the Forum of the future REACH and CLP revision	The Forum revised the mandate.	
3.3.7 Train the trainers 2024	The Forum revised the mandate.	Request for the nomination of two trainees for the training event (one of them will be the REF-13 coordinator) by 7 June 2024 .
Item 4 – Forum’s enforcement activities - Projects under finalisation		
4.1 Training for enforcement trainers 2023		HET to explore if it would be possible to invite three participants to physical Forum trainings in the future.
4.1.1 Final report		
4.2.2 Closure of the mandate	The mandate was closed	
Item 5 - Suggestions for improvement the inspectors’ training on best practices identified in Forum projects		
		<p>HET will ask the ASOs participating in the REF-10 workshop if they consider the WS would benefit from having broader audience.</p> <p>Forum members to comment on the proposals in the presentation by 19 April.</p> <p>HET will schedule a discussion at Forum-47</p>
Item 6 – Interlinks		
6.1 Enforcement of ECHA decisions		
6.1.1 Enforcement of Failure to respond (FTR) letters		
6.1.2 Improvement of the DEv decision’s process		

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6.2 Interlinks guide update		Drafting group and HET will come with a proposal for preparing the training on interlinks at Forum-47 Forum members are invited to express interest in contributing case studies to the interlinks training by 19 April
6.3 Follow-up of ECHA Decisions		
Item 7 – Enforcement in the Member States (Part I)		
7.1 Chemicals legislation in Iceland and the role of the Environment Agency		
7.2 Enforcement practices in Italy		Forum members are invited to send feedback on whether they are interested in the IT Classification and Labelling Platform and wish to learn more about it by 19 April
7.3 Follow-up from the Dutch case on SCC registration dossiers		
Item 9 – Forum's enforcement activities - Ongoing projects (cont.)		
9.1 <i>Enforceability of Restrictions</i> 9.1.1 WG Progress report		Forum members are invited to nominate member to the working group by 12 April
9.1.2 Mandate amendment	The Forum revised the mandate.	
9.2 Member States on Partnership for Assessment of Risks from Chemicals (PARC) project on analytical methods	Forum expressed interest in cooperating with the PARC project on analytical methods for enforcement (6.4.3).	PARC project group is invited to consult its outputs with the Forum via the ECHA Harmonised Enforcement Team.
Item 10 – Potential Forum advice on the enforceability of new restriction under the Battery regulation		
		HET will update the Forum on the results of discussion with the Commission.
Item 11 – Update on relevant developments by the Commission		
	Forum Chairs will report on the Forum work on enforcement to the CARACAL.	

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		<p>COM is invited to send in a project proposal by 2 April to be assessed by the WG Prioritisation.</p> <p>The COM is invited to brief the Forum on the new TARIC codes for POPs at Forum-47</p>
Item 12 - Practical issues for enforcement of REACH/CLP/PIC/POPS		
12.1 Break out groups discussion		
12.2 Wrap-up		<p>HET will revise the conclusions of issues F-46.2 and F-46.3 based on the feedback from the break out groups and send it for consultation with the Forum.</p> <p>HET will send the reports from the Break Out Groups and draft practical issue F-46.1 to the COM for the consideration by the POP CA.</p>
		<p>Forum members are invited to submit new practical issues by 22 April</p>
Item 14 – Enforcement in the Member States (Part II)		
14.1 Enforcement practices in Liechtenstein		
14.2 Enforcement practices in Luxemburg		
14.3 Enforcement in Norway		<p>Forum member from NO is invited to respond to the questions raised during the plenary.</p>
		<p>Forum members from Lithuania, Latvia, Malta, the Netherlands and Poland are invited to make a presentation on their enforcement practices for Forum-47</p>
Item 15 – Discussion on the enforcement of specific REACH restrictions entries		
15.1 Experiences from the enforcement of the diisocyanate restriction		
15.2 Input from France for the future		<p>SE alternate member is invited to share the Swedish report on</p>

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guidance on the formaldehyde restriction		comparing methods 717-1 and 717-2 with the FR Forum member
15.2.1 ECHA's plans for the guidance on the formaldehyde restriction		Forum members are invited to seek experts to contribute to the ECHA work on the guidance and communicate them to ECHA by 29 March
Item 16 – Updates from the ECHA Secretariat		
16.1 Visibility of the communication of Forum's outputs		<p>WG REF-11, REF-12, REF-13 and pilot project on cosmetics are invited to consider if they can collect relevant information to strengthen impact of communication, such as specific examples or recommendations for consumers.</p> <p>ECHA Secretariat is invited to inform the MS Communication Network about the plan for publication of the Forum projects.</p> <p>Forum members are invited to liaise with the MS Communicators Network to encourage spreading the word about future Forum projects.</p> <p>ECHA Secretariat will share contact details to journalists working on topics related to chemicals legislation with the DE Forum member.</p>
16.2 Activities of the Regulatory Support team		
16.3 New ECHA dissemination website		
16.4 Forum plenary dates in 2025	Forum-49: 17-21 March Forum-50: 9-13 June (b2b BPRS) (Helsinki) Forum-51: 17-21 Nov	
Item 17 – Cooperation with other networks		
17.1 Forum's contribution to the EU Product Compliance Network (EUPCN) and the ADCO Chairs' meetings		

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17.2 Updates from SLIC-CHEMEX		
Item 18 – Debriefing of the meeting between Forum Chairs and ECHA Directors		
		Forum members are invited to suggest ways in which the Forum could increase the number of physical meetings without increasing the carbon footprint by 12 April (using the satisfaction survey)
Item 19 – Updates from BPR Subgroup		
Item 20 – AOB		
20.1 Round Robin Testing		<p>Forum members are invited to share with the DE Forum member results of round robin tests on REACH substances by 30 April.</p> <p>Forum members are invited to share information on laboratories that would like to compare results of round robin tests with DE laboratories for substances for which round robin tests are not commercially available by 30 April.</p>
20.2 Enforcement of Entry 28 of Annex XVII of REACH in the Member States		<p>Forum members are invited to share any experiences in enforcing Entry 28 of Annex XVII with regard to airplane fuels sold to private pilots by 19 April</p> <p>Forum members are invited to share whether the use of fuels containing “Cumene” by private pilots is considered to be “professional use” by 19 April.</p> <p>COM is invited to provide, if possible, preliminary feedback on whether private pilots could be considered as members of general public as defined in entry 28 by 19 April.</p>
20.3 Nordic project		Forum members are invited to share information on professional

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		uses of SVHC on their own with the NO alternate by 30 April.
20.4 Diisocyanates		ECHA secretariat will explore if the recommendation on the requirements for the training could be turned into advice for SMEs and also what other support could be provided.