

ANNEX III ¹

CHEMICALS SUBJECT TO THE PRIOR INFORMED CONSENT PROCEDURE

Chemical	Relevant CAS number(s)	Category
2,4,5-T and its salts and esters	93-76-5*	Pesticide
Alachlor	15972-60-8	Pesticide
Aldicarb	116-06-3	Pesticide
Aldrin	309-00-2	Pesticide
Azinphos-methyl	86-50-0	Pesticide
Binapacryl	485-31-4	Pesticide
Captafol	2425-06-1	Pesticide
Carbofuran	1563-66-2	Pesticide
Chlordane	57-74-9	Pesticide
Chlordimeform	6164-98-3	Pesticide
Chlorobenzilate	510-15-6	Pesticide
DDT	50-29-3	Pesticide
Dieldrin	60-57-1	Pesticide
Dinitro- <i>ortho</i> -cresol (DNOC) and its salts (such as ammonium salt, potassium salt and sodium salt)	534-52-1 2980-64-5 5787-96-2 2312-76-7	Pesticide
Dinoseb and its salts and esters	88-85-7*	Pesticide
1,2-dibromoethane (EDB)	106-93-4	Pesticide
Endosulfan	115-29-7	Pesticide
Ethylene dichloride	107-06-2	Pesticide
Ethylene oxide	75-21-8	Pesticide
Fluoroacetamide	640-19-7	Pesticide
HCH (mixed isomers)	608-73-1	Pesticide

¹ As amended by the Conference of the Parties by its decision RC-1/3 of 24 September 2004; RC-4/5 of 31 October 2008; RC-5/3, RC-5/4 and RC-5/5 of 24 June 2011; RC-6/4, RC-6/5, RC-6/6 and RC-6/7 of 10 May 2013; RC-7/4 of 15 May 2015; RC-8/2, RC-8/3, RC-8/4 and RC-8/5 of 5 May 2017; RC-9/3 and RC-9/4 of 10 May 2019; RC-10/6 and RC-10/7 of 17 June 2022; and RC-11/3 of 12 May 2023.

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Heptachlor	76-44-8	Pesticide
Hexachlorobenzene	118-74-1	Pesticide
Lindane	58-89-9	Pesticide
Mercury compounds, including inorganic mercury compounds, alkyl mercury compounds and alkyloxyalkyl and aryl mercury compounds		Pesticide
Methamidophos	10265-92-6	Pesticide
Monocrotophos	6923-22-4	Pesticide
Parathion	56-38-2	Pesticide
Pentachlorophenol and its salts and esters	87-86-5*	Pesticide
Phorate	298-02-2	Pesticide
Terbufos	13071-79-9	Pesticide
Toxaphene	8001-35-2	Pesticide
Trichlorfon	52-68-6	Pesticide
Dustable powder formulations containing a combination of: – Benomyl at or above 7 per cent, – Carbofuran at or above 10 per cent, and – Thiram at or above 15 per cent	17804-35-2 1563-66-2 137-26-8	Severely hazardous pesticide formulation
Phosphamidon (soluble liquid formulations of the substance that exceed 1,000 g active ingredient/l)	13171-21-6 (mixture, [E] & [Z] isomers) 23783-98-4 ([Z]-isomer) 297-99-4 ([E]-isomer)	Severely hazardous pesticide formulation
Methyl-parathion (emulsifiable concentrates (EC) at or above 19.5% active ingredient and dusts at or above 1.5% active ingredient)	298-00-0	Severely hazardous pesticide formulation
Asbestos: – Actinolite – Anthophyllite – Amosite – Crocidolite – Tremolite	77536-66-4 77536-67-5 12172-73-5 12001-28-4 77536-68-6	Industrial Industrial Industrial Industrial Industrial

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Commercial octabromodiphenyl ether including: – Hexabromodiphenyl ether – Heptabromodiphenyl ether	36483-60-0 68928-80-3	Industrial
Commercial pentabromodiphenyl ether including: – Tetrabromodiphenyl ether – Pentabromodiphenyl ether	40088-47-9 32534-81-9	Industrial
Decabromodiphenyl ether	1163-19-5	Industrial
Hexabromocyclododecane	25637-99-4 3194-55-6 134237-50-6 134237-51-7 134237-52-8	Industrial
Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid, perfluorooctane sulfonates, perfluorooctane sulfonamides and perfluorooctane sulfonyls including: – Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid – Potassium perfluorooctane sulfonate – Lithium perfluorooctane sulfonate – Ammonium perfluorooctane sulfonate – Diethanolammonium perfluorooctane sulfonate – Tetraethylammonium perfluorooctane sulfonate – Didecyltrimethylammonium perfluorooctane sulfonate – N-Ethylperfluorooctane sulfonamide – N-Methylperfluorooctane sulfonamide – N-Ethyl-N-(2-hydroxyethyl) perfluorooctane sulfonamide – N-(2-hydroxyethyl)- N-methylperfluorooctane sulfonamide – Perfluorooctane sulfonyl fluoride	1763-23-1 2795-39-3 29457-72-5 29081-56-9 70225-14-8 56773-42-3 251099-16-8 4151-50-2 31506-32-8 1691-99-2 24448-09-7 307-35-7	Industrial

Chemical	Relevant CAS number(s)	Category
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA), its salts and PFOA-related compounds***	335-67-1	Industrial
Polybrominated biphenyls (PBB)	36355-01-8 (hexa-) 27858-07-7 (octa-) 13654-09-6 (deca-)	Industrial
Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCB)	1336-36-3	Industrial
Polychlorinated terphenyls (PCT)	61788-33-8	Industrial
Short-chain chlorinated paraffins	85535-84-8	Industrial
Tetraethyl lead	78-00-2	Industrial
Tetramethyl lead	75-74-1	Industrial
Tris (2,3-dibromopropyl) phosphate	126-72-7	Industrial
All tributyltin compounds including:		Pesticide/ Industrial**
– Tributyltin oxide	56-35-9	
– Tributyltin fluoride	1983-10-4	
– Tributyltin methacrylate	2155-70-6	
– Tributyltin benzoate	4342-36-3	
– Tributyltin chloride	1461-22-9	
– Tributyltin linoleate	24124-25-2	
– Tributyltin naphthenate	85409-17-2	

* Only the CAS numbers of parent compounds are listed. For a list of other relevant CAS numbers, reference may be made to the relevant decision guidance document.

** All tributyltin compounds are listed in Annex III in both the industrial and pesticide categories. These chemicals were initially listed in Annex III in the pesticide category by decision RC-4/5, with the amendment entering into force on 1 February 2009. Decision RC-8/5 subsequently amended Annex III to list all tributyltin compounds in the industrial category, with the amendment entering into force on 15 September 2017.

*** The following substances are included in this designation:

- Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) and its salts

- Any related substance (including its salts and polymers) having a linear or branched perfluoroheptyl group with the formula C_7F_{15} directly attached to another carbon atom as one of the structural elements
- Any related substance (including its salts and polymers) having a linear or branched perfluorooctyl group with the formula C_8F_{17} as one of the structural elements

The following substances are excluded from this designation:

- $C_8F_{17}-X$, where $X = F, Cl, Br$
- $C_8F_{17}-C(=O)OH$, $C_8F_{17}-C(=O)O-X'$ or $C_8F_{17}-CF_2-X'$
(where X' = any group, including salts)
- Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) and its derivatives
($C_8F_{17}SO_2X$ ($X = OH$, metal salt ($O-M+$), halide, amide and other derivatives including polymers)).