

Chemicals in Products: Strengthening Actions Workshop

25-26 October 2017 – Geneva, Switzerland

Draft Agenda

Venue: International Environment House
11-13 chemin des Anémones, Geneva, Switzerland

Expected Outputs:

- Building blocks towards a comprehensive framework describing the long term objectives and aspirations of the Chemicals in Products Programme as well as the actions required to achieve the desired immediate, medium and long term needs and expectations.
- A prioritized list of the activities or initiatives for each of the three sectors;
- A stakeholders map including roles, responsibilities and actions;
- A list of solutions / tools required to advance on actions included in the comprehensive framework, whether existing or in need of development.

Moderators:

- **Ms. Nadene Canning**, Lead Facilitator, All SystemsGO!
- **Mr. Frank Moser**, Programme Officer, Secretariat of the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions
- **Ms. Inga Petersen**, Programme Officer, Ecosystems Division, UN Environment

Time	Agenda Item	Speaker / Document
Day 1: Welcome and Introductions		
09:00 – 09:30	Welcome and opening remarks	Mr. Achim Halpaap , Chief, Chemicals and Health Branch, UN Environment Participant self-introductions
Session 1: Establishing a vision of chemicals in products information and its use in toys, electronics and building products		
Objective: To develop a common view around the question "What does transparency of chemicals in products information (through the life cycle) and its use for sound management of chemicals look like in the three product sector value chains?"		
9:30 – 12:00 (coffee at 10:30)	Moderated discussion	
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	
Session 2: Analysis of chemicals management in the life cycles of toys, electronics and building products		
Objective: To respond to the questions: "Considering the value chains for chemicals in the three product sectors, are changes to the current background report descriptions necessary?" AND "Where are the key intervention points, for chemicals information access and for actions, to achieve sound chemicals management and which stakeholders would be responsible for taking those actions?"		
13:00 – 17:00 (coffee at 15:00)	Presentation: Workshop background document Moderated discussion	Mr Reinhard Joas, and Ms Carmen Klausbruckner , ISSPRO
Day 2: Welcome, review of Day 1 and outline of Day 2		
09:00 – 09:15	Review of Day 1: highlights and conclusions	UN Environment
Session 3: Identifying solutions		
Objective: Referring to the background document and the previous discussions, to identify for each product sector the specific tools, systems or programmes with high potential for achieving the needed chemicals information access and actions.		
9:15 – 12:00	Presentation: Workshop background	Mr Reinhard Joas, and Ms Carmen Klausbruckner ,

(coffee at 10:30)	document Moderated group discussion	ISSPPRO
12:00 – 13:00 Lunch		
Session 4: Identifying actors and activities to implement the solutions		
Objective: Identify, within the context of the GEF project, what are the next steps to move ahead with tools, systems or programmes and deliver on the expected outcomes.		
13:00 – 16:00 (coffee at 15:00)	Moderated group discussion	
16:00 – 17:00	Break out group presentations Discussion	Group rapporteurs
17:00	Close	