



Public Consultation Stage on the New Batch of Proposed Substances of Very High Concern

September 3, 2021, Member States of the European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) proposed 4 new substances to be identified as SVHCs. Deadline for commenting is October 18, 2021. All interested parties are invited to submit comments during the public consultation. The approved proposed substances will be regarded as the 26th batch of substances in SVHC candidate list. When the public consultation ended, if the 4 substances were accepted, there will be 223 substances listed on the SVHCs.

The 4 proposed substances listed as following:

Substance Name	EC No.	CAS No.	Reason for proposing	Possible use
(±)-1,7,7-trimethyl-3-[(4-methylphenyl)methylene]bicyclo[2.2.1]heptan-2-one covering any of the individual isomers and/or combinations thereof (4-MBC)	-	-	Endocrine disrupting properties (Article 57(f) - human health)	As a raw material for the synthesis of other compounds, it is also used in cosmetics, body care products, facial creams, etc.
6,6'-di-tert-butyl-2,2'-methylene-di-p-cresol (DBMC)	204-327-1	119-47-1	Toxic for reproduction (Article 57 c)	Used as antioxidant for natural rubber, synthetic rubber, latex, other synthetic materials and petroleum products.
S-(tricyclo[5.2.1.0 ^{2,6}]deca-3-en-8(or 9)-yl) O-(isopropyl or isobutyl or 2-ethylhexyl) O-(isopropyl or isobutyl or 2-ethylhexyl) phosphorodithioate	401-850-9	255881-94-8	PBT (Article 57 d)	Used as a lubricant and lubricating oil.
tris(2-methoxyethoxy)vinylsilane	213-934-0	1067-53-4	Toxic for reproduction (Article 57 c)	Used in the manufacture of plastics, rubbers, silica gels and sealants, etc.

For details, please click: <https://echa.europa.eu/substances-of-very-high-concern-identification>

According to REACH, if SVHC is contained in article in a concentration that greater than 0.1% (w/w), downstream importers shall be notified with such information for communication and also provided with certifications. However, if SVHC is contained in article in a concentration that greater than 0.1% (w/w) and the volume for export is more than 1 tonne, notification of such information to ECHA is necessary. According to the WFD requirements, starting from January 5,



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2021, if the SVHC content in an article is greater than 0.1%, the company needs to make a SCIP notification.

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