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RE: Follow-up meeting on plastic definition (SUP): Summary report and ECHA presentation

Attachments:

Kaneka Position Paper short version Rev 20200319.pdf

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Within the current circumstances, I really hope everything goes well at your side.

In preparation of the webinar meeting on the SUP directive / WP 1 scheduled for April 3rd, we would like to update you with our rationale why Kaneka PHBH must be considered to be a “natural polymer that have not been chemically modified” and why its products are consistent with the scope of this directive.

If you have any further question on this document, please do not hesitate to contact me.
Also, looking forward to further discuss on 3rd of April.

Best regards,

[REDACTED]

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From: [REDACTED]

Sent: maandag 3 februari 2020 16:12

[REDACTED]

Subject: RE: Follow-up meeting on plastic definition (SUP): Summary report and ECHA presentation

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you very much for your additional information, which in fact has reached me via various channels.

Unfortunately, due to the time pressures and the need to get the guidelines and various implementing acts related to the SUP out in a few months time, we have decided not to accept additional one-on-one meetings or calls with

single stakeholders on the definition of the scope of the SUP Directive and the related guidelines, but to try to focus on going through and digesting the information made available to us by various stakeholders and to schedule another stakeholder event on the guidelines.

Further written input with additional information is very much welcome, as well as your application for participation in the next stakeholder event, which is now provisionally scheduled for March 23 (the announcement will follow this week or next week, when we have secured the room, which always is a limiting factor).

In case I have specific questions related to your information/position, may I come back to you?

I apologise for not being in a position to accept your kind invitation for a direct meeting or call, but I hope you understand this approach.

[Redacted]

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Dear Mr. [Redacted]

It was a pleasure to meet you during the technical workshop on 13th of December to discuss the topic of “unmodified natural polymer”.

In follow-up of this discussion, I have forwarded our technical and legislative comments on the discussion with ECHA responsible on the topic if a material produced within a fermentation process (such as PHA) should be seen as natural or not, to your colleague [Redacted]. As [Redacted] further forwarded this topic directly to you, I would like to request to set-up a short discussion to explain our vision more in detail and to hear your interpretation on this document.

If you accept, please keep me informed about your availability.

Best regards,

[Redacted]

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[Redacted]

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Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for your additional comments on the summary report, which I have forwarded to my colleague [Redacted] who will be following up the discussion on the plastic definition with the experts in ECHA.

Have a good weekend,

Kind regards,




[Redacted]

[Redacted]



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Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you very much again for giving us the opportunity to join the technical stakeholder meeting on the definition of 'plastic' on 13th december.

With this email, I would like to forward you our technical and legislative comments on the discussion with ECHA responsible on the topic if a material produced within a fermentation process (such as PHA) should be seen as natural or not.

If requested, I would be open to further discuss this with you or one of your colleagues involved in this topic.

If you have any further question, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Have a nice weekend,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Verzonden: Vrijdag 17 januari 2020 15:09:11

Onderwerp: Follow-up meeting on plastic definition (SUP): Summary report and ECHA presentation

Dear all,

Thank you for your participation to the meeting on the plastic definition under the SUP Directive on the 13th of December.

Please find enclosed the ECHA presentation as well as the summary report of the meeting.

The Commission is now undertaking the work on the guidelines expected for July 2020.

Kind regards,

[REDACTED]

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