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To:
BAuA
Federal Institute for Occupational Safety and Health Federal Office for Chemicals
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SUBJECT: OUTCOME OF THE ACCORDANCE CHECK OF THE DOSSIER PROPOSING HARMONISED CLASSIFICATION AND LABELLING (CLH) OF GLYPHOSATE (ISO); N-(PHOSPHONOMETHYL)GLYCINE

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Dear [Redacted]

Following the submission of a CLH dossier for glyphosate (ISO); N-(phosphonomethyl)glycine on 17/03/2016 according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (the CLP Regulation), the ECHA Secretariat has performed an accordance check of the dossier. The accordance check ensures that the dossier meets the requirements for a harmonised classification and labelling proposal referred to in Art. 37 of the CLP Regulation and as specified in parts 1 and 2 of Annex VI.

We regret to inform you that the conclusion of the accordance check is that essential revisions and/or clarifications, described in Annex 1 to this letter are required before the CLH dossier can be processed further.

In addition, ECHA invites you to address the recommended revisions, as specified in Annex 1 and 3 to this letter.

Please note that disregarding the recommended changes may increase the possibility that the Committee for Risk Assessment (RAC) considers the information you have provided as insufficient to support your proposed classification and labelling, thus delaying the process and triggering additional work.

ECHA further asks you to verify that the proposed CLH is correctly presented in the table in Annex 2 to this letter.
Please inform ECHA about your intention to revise the proposal and also indicate the date by which you intend to submit the revised dossier.

RAC has appointed [Name] to act as a RAC Rapporteur and [Name] as a RAC Co-rapporteur for this CLH dossier. In addition, RAC has appointed [Name] and [Name] to be part of an ad hoc working group supporting the rapporteurs. The names of the Rapporteur and the Co-rapporteur and the working group members should be kept confidential until the RAC opinion is published on the ECHA website.

Please use the communication number provided above for any correspondence referring to this letter. Please use the substance name proposed by ECHA in Annex 1 when preparing the CLH dossier.

The revision of your dossier should be submitted via the webform for the submission of CLH dossiers at the following link:

Yours faithfully,
(e-signed)

Elina Karhu
Head of Unit, Classification & Prioritisation

Annex 1. ECHA Secretariat report
Annex 2. CLH table
Annex 3. RAC Rapporteurs’ observation report
Annex 4. Tracked changes version of the CLH report

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