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Mr.Donald Cooper Executive Secretary Secretariat of the Stockholm Convention on POPs CH 1219 Chatelaine Geneva, Switzerland

Subject:

Implementation of the Stockholm convention on POPs – new-POPs – comments.

Dear Mr Cooper,

Based your letter concerning the comments to the draft documents of Risk Management Evaluation and Risk Profile prepared by the POPs Review Committee for chemicals proposed for listing in Annex A, B or C of the Stockholm Convention we would like to give following information.

After internal consultation with relevant experts from our national institutions involved in this agenda it is possible to agree with the mentioned documents prepared for the Commercial octabromodiphenyl ether (octa-BDE), Pentachlorobenzene (peCB), α -hexachlorocyclohexane (α -HCH), β -hexachlorocyclohexane (β -HCH) and Short-chained chlorinated paraffins (SCCPs).

Yours sincerely

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