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**Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee**

**Fifteenth meeting**

Rome, 1–4 October 2019

Item 2 (b) of the provisional agenda\*

**Organizational matters: organization of work**

## **Tentative schedule for the meeting**

### **Note by the Secretariat**

A tentative schedule for the work of the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee at its fifteenth meeting is set out in the annex to the present note. The schedule will be adapted as necessary as work progresses. The present note, including its annex, has not been formally edited.

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## Annex

### Fifteenth meeting of the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee: tentative schedule for the meeting (1–4 October 2019)<sup>1</sup>

	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>
<i>Morning session</i> 9.30 a.m.– 12.30 p.m.	<b>Item 1: Opening of the meeting.</b> <b>Item 2: Organizational matters:</b> (a) Adoption of the agenda; (b) Organization of work. <b>Item 3: Rotation of the membership.</b> <b>Item 5: Technical work:</b> (a) Consideration of a risk management evaluation on perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS), its salts and PFHxS-related compounds; (b) Consideration of chemicals proposed for listing in Annexes A, B and/or C to the Convention: (ii) Methoxychlor;	<b>Item 4: Review of the outcomes of the ninth meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants relevant to the work of the Committee.</b>  <b>Item 6: Report on activities to support effective participation in the work of the Committee.</b>  Contact groups possible (English only)	Consideration of results of contact groups  Contact groups possible (English only)	Consideration of results of contact groups, including draft decisions  <b>Item 7: Workplan for the intersessional period between the fifteenth and sixteenth meetings of the Committee.</b> <b>Item 8: Venue and date of the sixteenth meeting of the Committee.</b> <b>Item 9: Other matters.</b>
<i>Lunch break</i> 12.30–2 p.m.	<i>Lunch</i>	<i>Lunch</i>	<i>Lunch</i>	<i>Lunch</i>
<i>Afternoon session</i> 2–5 p.m.	<b>Item 5: (continued)</b> (b) (i) Dechlorane Plus (CAS No. 13560-89-9) and its syn-isomer (CAS No. 135821-03-3) and anti-isomer (CAS No. 135821-74-8); (c) Review of information related to specific exemptions for decabromodiphenyl ether and short-chain chlorinated paraffins.	Contact groups possible (English only)	Contact groups possible (English only)	<b>Item 10: Adoption of the report.</b> <b>Item 11: Closure of the meeting.</b>
<i>Evening after 5 p.m.</i>	Contact groups possible (English only)	Contact groups possible (English only)	Contact groups possible (English only)	

<sup>1</sup> Items listed in the schedule are from the provisional agenda (UNEP/POPS/POPRC.15/1).