



Strengthening action on chemicals in the electronics sector

“Addressing the challenge of chemicals of concern, enabling circular electronics”

10th - 11th November 2020

10th November 2020, 1.00 – 3.00 pm CET

11th November 2020, 1.00 – 3.30 pm CET

United Nations Environment Programme

Draft Annotated Agenda

Connection details

This virtual workshop will be held over Microsoft Teams. The link to connect is provided in the calendar invite you received. Please connect 5 minutes ahead of the meeting’s starting time.

You can join the workshop on your computer, tablet or smartphone (for the connection with a mobile device, the Microsoft Teams APP may be required).

Tuesday, 10 November 2020

1:00pm – 1:30pm

Session 0: Welcoming and introduction (UNEP)

1:00pm – 1.10pm

Welcoming remarks, UNEP

1.10pm – 1.20pm

Virtual tour de table of the participants

1.20pm – 1.30pm

Introduction presentation of the project, UNEP

UNEP will provide a brief presentation of the project and the workshop, including its objectives.

1.30pm – 3.00pm

Session 1: Labelling initiatives

1.30pm – 1.55pm

Presentation of preliminary results on a mapping of existing eco-labelling initiatives addressing chemicals of concern in electronics (UNEP)

1.55pm – 2.10pm

Short interventions with perspectives from the labelling and industry community (Guy Ladvoat, Systems Certification Manager, ABNT Brazil; Stephen Fuller, Senior criteria manager, TCO Certified; industry representative tbc)

2.10pm – 3.00pm

Discussion: Reflections and experience sharing

Guiding questions of this open discussion will include (but are not limited to):

- *What are the challenges that labelling schemes addressing CoC currently face?*
- *Which opportunities can eco-labelling represent in addressing the challenge of chemicals of concern and advancing thereof circular electronics?*
- *Which support from other stakeholders (regulators, academia, finance sector, consumer organizations) are needed to bring this to scale?*

Wednesday, 11 November 2020

1.00pm – 2.00pm

Session 2: Regulatory approaches

1.00pm – 1.05pm

Welcoming remarks (UNEP)

1.05pm – 1.20pm

Presentation of preliminary results on a mapping of regulatory frameworks addressing chemicals of concern in electronics (UNEP)

1.20pm – 1.35pm

Short interventions with perspectives from the regulatory and industry community (Ms. Madalina LAXTON, European Commission, others tbc)

1.35pm – 2.05pm

Discussion: Reflections and experience sharing (all participants)

Guiding questions of this open discussion will include (but are not limited to):

- *What are potential challenges in making regulatory approaches relevant to the sector?*
- *How can regulatory approaches for chemicals of concern in electronics be used to support circular concepts in the electronics sector?*

2.10m – 3.30pm

Session 3: Opportunities for linkages and synergies

2.10pm – 2.20pm

Brief summary of the results of sessions 1 & 2 (UNEP)

2.20pm – 3.15pm

Discussion on potential linkages and synergies (all participants)

Guiding questions of this open discussion will include (but are not limited to):

- *Are there linkages or synergies between regulatory and voluntary labelling approaches that could be explored to advance the issue of CoC in the context of circular electronics?*
- *How can we increase the impact and reach of those approaches, and are there other important complementary tools to be considered to advance towards circularity in electronics?*
- *How can the presented tools be upscaled and what are the complementarities with existing initiatives that could be explored?*

3.15pm – 3.30pm

Closing remarks