NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** EUROPEAN UNION  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:**  European Commission  **Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:**  European Commission,  EU-TBT Enquiry Point,  Fax: +(32) 2 299 80 43,  E-mail: [grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu](mailto:grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu)  Website: <http://ec.europa.eu/growth/tools-databases/tbt/en/> |
| **3.** | **Notified under Article 2.9.2 [****X],** **2.10.1 [****],** **5.6.2 [****],** **5.7.1 [****], 3.2 [****], 7.2 [****],** **other****:** |
| **4.** | **Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** Biocidal products |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Draft Commission Implementing Decision repealing Implementing Decision (EU) 2022/1486 postponing the expiry date of the approval of acrolein for use in biocidal products of product-type 12; (3 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This draft Commission Implementing Decision repeals the postponement of the expiry date of the approval of acrolein as an active substance for use in biocidal products of product type 12.  On 28 February 2019, an application was submitted in accordance with Article 13(1) of Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 for the renewal of the approval of acrolein for use in biocidal products of product-type 12.  On 6 October 2022, the evaluating Competent Authority (CA) has informed ECHA and the Commission that the applicant has withdrawn its support for acrolein for PT12. Consequently, a draft Decision is being prepared to not renew the approval of acrolein for PT12. Further to that Decision, it is necessary to repeal the postponement of the expiry date of the approval of acrolein. The present draft Decision therefore intends to repeal Decision (EU) 2022/1486 postponing the expiry date of the approval of acrolein for PT12. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Harmonisation of the EU market on biocidal products; Protection of human health or safety; Protection of the environment; Harmonization |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**  Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 May 2012 concerning the making available on the market and use of biocidal products (OJ L 167, 27.6.2012, p. 1.). Available in all EU languages.  [EUR-Lex - 32012R0528 - EN - EUR-Lex (europa.eu)](https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A32012R0528&qid=1653319893936) |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** June 2023  **Proposed date of entry into force:** 20 days from publication in the Official Journal of the EU |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** 60 days from notification |
| **11.** | **Texts available from: National enquiry point [****]** **or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**  European Commission,  EU-TBT Enquiry Point,  Fax: + (32) 2 299 80 43,  E-mail: [grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu](mailto:grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu)  The text is available on the EU-TBT Website : <http://ec.europa.eu/growth/tools-databases/tbt/en/>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/TBT/EEC/23_1618_00_e.pdf> |