

**Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment
Meeting Synopsis and Slide Presentations
Carcinogen Identification Committee Meeting
Held on December 5, 2013**

A meeting of the Proposition 65¹ Carcinogen Identification Committee (CIC) was held on December 5, 2013, at the California Environmental Protection Agency Headquarters Building in Sacramento, California. The Committee considered the listing of diisononyl phthalate and butyl benzyl phthalate as known to the state cause cancer. A summary of the meeting is provided below. The meeting agenda is available [here](#).

SUMMARY OF THE LISTING DECISION FOR DIISONONYL PHTHALATE AND BUTYL BENZYL PHTHALATE

Following staff presentations, public comment, and committee discussions, the CIC determined that diisononyl phthalate has been clearly shown to cause cancer on votes of 6-1 and one abstention and that butyl benzyl phthalate has not been clearly shown to cause cancer on votes of 5-1 and two abstentions.

Follow these links to the slide presentations made at the meeting by staff of the California Environmental Protection Agency's Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA) and members of the public:

[Diisononyl phthalate staff presentation](#) by Dr. Rajpal Tomar and Rose Cendak, M.S.

Public commenter presentation by:

Stanley Landfair, Counsel to BASF Corporation

Michael Cunningham, Ph.D., DABT, toxicology consultant for BASF Corporation

Gordon Hard, BVSc, PhD, DSc, FRCPath, FRCVS, FAToxSci, DACVP, independent consultant for BASF Corporation

Jennifer Foreman, Ph.D., DABT, toxicologist for ExxonMobil Biomedical Sciences, Inc.

Note: The presentation is posted in its entirety although not all slides were presented during the meeting. Please refer to the meeting transcript for the commenters' presentation.

[Butyl benzyl phthalate staff presentation](#) by Dr. Jennifer Hsieh and Dr. Meng Sun

Public commenter presentation by:

Alan Olson, Ferro Corporation

Ann Claassen, Counsel to Ferro Corporation

John Butala, Ph.D., DABT, consultant to Ferro Corporation

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UPDATE OF THE SECTION 27000 LIST OF CHEMICALS WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN ADEQUATELY TESTED AS REQUIRED

The CIC voted unanimously to add the 16 chemicals as identified by the U.S. EPA to the Section 27000 list. The CIC voted 6-2 and 2 abstentions to remove the 6 chemicals as

¹ The Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986, codified at Health and Safety Code section 25249.5 et seq.

identified by the U.S. EPA and the Department of Pesticide Regulation from the Section 27000 list. Link to staff presentation of chemicals recommended to be removed from the Section 27000 list

STAFF UPDATES

Link to staff presentation of chemicals newly added via an administrative listing mechanism and new safe harbor levels

Meeting transcript will be available in the near future.