

## **CONCEPT NOTE**

# International consultative workshop to discuss first drafts of national technical regulations **"ON CLASSIFICATION AND LABELLING OF HAZARDOUS CHEMICALS"** and **"ON SAFE AND SECURE MANAGEMENT OF CHEMICAL PRODUCTS"**

### 30-31 October 2018, Kyiv, Ukraine

### BACKGROUND

The OSCE Project Co-ordinator in Ukraine currently implements the project "Improving Ukraine's Regulatory System on Chemical Safety and Security" (the Project) with a view to facilitate the development of the Ukrainian legislative framework to reduce potential risks of harm posed by the hazardous chemical substances to health of workers, consumers and the environment, as well as to prevent the unauthorized access to the toxic substances, especially to the dual-use chemicals.

The Project was developed by the OSCE Conflict Prevention Centre jointly with the OSCE Project Coordinator in Ukraine and in close co-operation with Ukrainian authorities, based on the outcome of the Comprehensive Review of Chemical Safety and Security in Ukraine, conducted in 2015 under the UN Security Council Resolution 1540 (2004). The Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of Ukraine is the beneficiary of the Project component for the development of national technical regulations "On Classification and Labelling of Hazardous Chemicals" and "On Safe and Secure Management of Chemical Products" (the National Regulations).

The National Regulations will be harmonized with the international legal framework, including the European Union Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 concerning the registration, evaluation, authorization and restriction of chemicals (the REACH) and the Regulation No (EC) 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (the CLP).

OSCE experts produced first drafts of the National Regulations, which will be presented and discussed in the scope of this international consultative workshop. Engagement of interested stakeholders into the active discussion will promote principles of chemical safety and security and account for interests of the involved parties. Results of analysis by international experts will demonstrate alignment of the draft National Regulations with the international regulatory framework and communicate best practices.

Successful implementation of the National Regulations will enhance the safety and security of production, handling, transportation, storage and disposal of hazardous chemical substances in Ukraine.

## **EXPECTED OUTCOMES**

- 1. The national experts will familiarise the involved stakeholders, including government agencies, chemical industry representatives, scientific institutions, civil society and international organizations, with the first drafts of National Regulations.
- 2. Observations, feedback and recommendations by the participants will inform refinement and finalisation of draft National Regulations.

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## AGENDA

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## 30-31 October 2018, Kyiv, Ukraine

#### VENUE

Ramada Encore Kyiv Hotel (17 km from city centre) 103, Stolychne Shose, 03131, Kyiv, Ukraine (map) Tel. +380 44 205 1515, +380 44 205 1520, info@encorekiev.com

#### Simultaneous interpretation English-Ukrainian-English will be provided.

The agenda is subject to changes.

Participation in the event is only upon confirmed prior registration (see details below).

Day 1: 30 October 2018 (Tuesday)	
Time	Торіс
09:00-09:45	Departure from Kyiv to Ramada Encore Kyiv Hotel (transportation provided)
09:45-10:30	Welcome coffee/check-in
10:30-11:00	<ul> <li>Welcoming statements, tour-de-table</li> <li>OSCE Project Co-ordinator in Ukraine</li> <li>Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of Ukraine</li> </ul>
11:00-11:15	Presentation of the projects on Chemical Safety and Security in Ukraine - OSCE Project Co-ordinator in Ukraine
11:15-11:35	Coffee break
11:35-12:15	Presentation of draft technical regulation "On Classification and Labelling of Hazardous Chemicals" - Mr. Anton Mukomela, National Leading Expert
12:15-13:00	Comments and presentation of findings - Mr. Douglas Leech, International Expert
13:00-13:30	Comments and practical recommendations for implementation - CEFIC, The European Chemical Industry Council
13:30-14:00	Open discussion
14:00-15:00	Lunch
15:00-16:30	Presentation of the annexes to draft technical regulation "On Classification and Labelling of Hazardous Chemicals" - Team of National Experts
16:30-16:50	Coffee break
16:50-17:30	Q&A session and discussion
17:30-17:50	Summary of discussion - Mr. Anton Mukomela, National Leading Expert
17:50-18:00	Closing remarks for Day 1 - OSCE Project Co-ordinator in Ukraine
18:00-19:00	Networking/socializing
19:00-20:00	Dinner

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Day 2: 31 October 2018 (Wednesday)	
Time	Торіс
06:30-09:00	Breakfast and check-out (luggage may be taken to the storage room)
09:00-09:20	Morning statements, recap of Day 1
	OSCE Project Co-ordinator in Ukraine
09:20-10:00	Presentation of draft technical regulation "On Safe and Secure Management of Chemical
	Products"
	- Mr. Anton Mukomela, National Leading Expert
10:00-10:45	Comments and observations
	CEFIC, The European Chemical Industry Council
10:45-11:15	Coffee break
11:15-12:00	Practical recommendations for implementation
	- CEFIC, The European Chemical Industry Council
12:00-13:00	Open Discussion
13:00-14:00	Lunch
14:00-15:30	Presentation of the annexes to draft technical regulation "On Safe and Secure
	Management of Chemical Products"
	- Team of National Experts
15:30-16:00	Coffee break
16:00-17:00	Q&A session and discussion
17:00-17:30	Summary of discussion
	- Mr. Anton Mukomela, National Leading Expert
17:30-18:00	Summary and closing statements
	OSCE Project Co-ordinator in Ukraine
18:00-19:00	Dinner
19:30	Departure to Kyiv

## REGISTRATION

Each participant is required to register by completing the online form via this link http://tiny.cc/PCUREG, or by returning the attached filled out form to Igor.Tereshchenko@osce.org and Sergiy.Petrov@osce.org as soon as possible but not later than 19 October 2018.

Number of participants is limited.

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## **ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE**

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## TRAVEL

For local participants

Local participants shall make their own travel arrangements.

Travel reimbursement will be provided for local participants from outside of Kyiv at the venue. The reimbursement covers bus and train tickets (compartment or 2<sup>nd</sup> class of the "Intercity" train). The traveller should provide travel ticket for reimbursement.

#### **TRANSPORTATION**

Transfer will be provided from Kyiv to the event venue and back. Kindly plan your time to arrive 15 minutes prior to departure.

On 30.10.2018 at 09:00 sharp the bus will leave from Palats Sportu metro.

On 31.10.2018 at 19:30 the bus will leave from venue and will take the following route: Central Bus Station (Demiivska metro) – Palats Sportu metro – Railway Station (Vokzalna metro).

#### **BOARD AND LODGING**

Accommodation (standard single rooms) for the night 30-31 October 2018 is provided at the venue. Participants are expected to stay at the hotel for the event.

Full board is provided at the venue.

DSA (per diem) applies to international participants in accordance with FAI9.

All participants should have a valid national ID (passport or driving license) for check-in at the hotel.

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