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**2ND MEETING OF THE COMPETENT AUTHORITIES SUB GROUP FOR THE
REVIEW OF THE ANNEXES OF REGULATION 1907/2006 (REACH)**

1 October 2007

**Room BU-5 0A
Avenue de Beaulieu/Beaulieulaan 5
Brussels, Belgium**

***Concerns:* Review of REACH Annexes IV**

***Agenda Point:* 3**

***Action Requested:* The Competent Authorities and stakeholders are invited to
take note of the updated document following discussion at the
CASG(Annexes) meeting of 1 October.**

DETAILED TIMETABLE FOR THE REVIEW OF ANNEX IV OF REACH

<u>Element</u>	<u>Timeline</u>
Development of Annex IV criteria by Contractor.	31 July – 24 September 2007.
Development of format and database.	31 July – 24 September 2007.
Analysis of current Annex IV by Commission.	25 July – 1 September 2007.
Outline paper sent to REACH CAs (CA/12/07 and CASG-03-07).	23 August 2007.
Analysis of current Annex IV entries by consultant (and comparison to criteria).	31 July – 24 September 2007.
REACH CA meeting (CASG(Annexes) meeting to discuss criteria and format).	3 September 2007.
Discussion by REACH CAs.	4 September 2007.
Paper sent to REACH CASG (Contractor criteria).	24 September 2007.
REACH CASG(Annexes) meeting to discuss and if possible finalise criteria and format.	1 October 2007.
Revised paper following 1 October meeting.	5 October 2007.
CA Information paper.	5 October 2007.
Written comments from CASG(Annexes).	12 October 2007.
Revised paper following CSAG(Annexes) comments.	17 October 2007.
CA written procedure to agree criteria and format.	19 October 2007.
MS Checklist (based on criteria).	22 October 2007.
Submission of proposals to MS or agreed industry organisations.	22 October 2007 – 30 November 2007.
Analysis of proposals by Member States or agreed industry organisation and submission to contractor and Commission.	22 October – 10 January 2008.
Analysis of proposals by consultant with recommendation to Commission.	22 October 2007 – 28 February 2008.
Consultation with REACH CASG(Annexes) on proposals (written procedure).	October 2007 – April 2008.
Update on progress.	December 2007 and March 2008 CA meetings.
Discussion of controversial cases (CASG(Annexes)).	March 2008 CA meeting.

Draft review of Annex IV completed.

30 April 2008.

Draft review submitted to REACH CASG(Annexes) for comments.

June 2008 (CA meeting or written procedure).

Draft review submitted to REACH CA for agreement.

June 2008 (CA meeting or written procedure).

Final report.

June 2008.