International PRTR Coordinating Group

Tenth meeting

Date: Wednesday, 5 October 2016
Time: 14:30 – 17:30
Location: Room CC18 at the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) Conference Centre, 2, rue André Pascal, Paris 16eme, France

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

I. Opening and adoption of the agenda

II. PRTR activities

(a) PRTR-global-map, including its update;

(b) Tour de Table on ongoing and planned PRTR support activities and services;

(c) How to support the ratification of the UNECE Protocol on PRTRs and the development of PRTRs worldwide.

III. PRTR HOT-TOPICS

This item is intended to provide an opportunity to discuss any topic that is innovative or considered a priority in the implementation of PRTRs. The topics could include, e.g.:

(a) PRTR as a reporting tool for facilities and its role as an information and learning platform with e.g. data from other sources;

(b) Scope of PRTRs in the context of new developments with regard to use of chemical substances and further harmonization of different PRTR systems;

(c) PRTRs in the context of other international processes and instruments that support sound chemicals management at national level, e.g. SAICM and UNEP chemicals and wastes MEAs, and a post SAICM goal;

(d) How PRTRs can help to achieve SDGs;

(e) Good practices for a successful PRTR awareness campaign and how to better use and communicate/present PRTR data.

IV. Future Global round table

Participants will be invited to share their views on topics that could be discussed at the next global round table.

V. Next meeting

VI. Other business

VII. Chair’s summary and closing the meeting

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