Seventh meeting of the Bureau of the
International Conference on Chemicals Management for its fifth session
Saint Petersburg, Russian Federation, 9-10 July 2019

Provisional agenda

1. Opening of the meeting.
2. Adoption of the agenda.
3. Discussion on OEWG3 and its related outcomes.
4. Preparations for the next meetings of the intersessional process considering SAICM and the sound management of chemicals and waste:
   (a) Third meeting of the intersessional process (IP3):
       i. Update from the co-chairs and secretariat on preparation of requested documents;
       ii. Engagement of regions and sectors, i.e., webinars, livestream IP3;
       iii. Proposed agenda, organization of meeting and documentation;
       iv. General logistics and setup.
   (b) Fourth meeting of the intersessional process (IP4); and
   (c) Update on the technical expert meeting to support development of chemical and waste indicators being hosted by the United Kingdom.
5. Discussion on enhanced governance for the sound management of chemicals and waste beyond 2020.
6. Preparations for the fifth session of the International Conference on Chemicals Management (ICCM5):
   (a) Overview of planning from the Government of Germany; and
   (b) Timing and hosting of regional meetings in preparation for ICCM5.
7. Reflections of the regions and sectors on collaboration and multi-sectoral / multi-stakeholder engagement, including the results of the Independent Evaluation of the Strategic Approach for the period 2006–2015:
   (a) Raising the profile of chemicals and waste to a higher political level;
   (b) National and regional approaches;
   (c) Sectoral and industry engagement;
   (d) Science and academia.
8. Update on SAICM progress reporting and indicators of progress:
   (a) Proposal for developing a progress report for the 2017-2019 period; and
   (b) Discussion and bureau feedback on SAICM country profiles under development.
9. Update from Bureau members, regional focal points, non-governmental sectoral participants, IOMC and the Secretariat on activities since the last Bureau meeting.
10. Other matters:
   (a) Conceptual discussion on linkages to other sectors, e.g., biodiversity, climate and SDGs;
   (b) Overview presentation on the “UN Sustainable Development Cooperation Framework”
       (“Cooperation Framework”);
   (c) Outcomes of the BRS COPs; and
   (d) Proposal for a Code of Conduct for future SAICM meetings.

11. Next meeting of the Bureau.

12. Any other matters.

13. Closure of the meeting.

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