



## Asia Newsletter 01/19

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anbei erhalten Sie die erste Ausgabe unseres Asien-Newsletters, in dem unsere Kolleginnen und Kollegen von GBK China Co.Ltd. aus Shanghai die aus ihrer Sicht wichtigsten Neuigkeiten zusammengefasst haben.

Bei allen chemikalienrechtlichen Fragen zum Export nach Asien stehen wir Ihnen wie immer als kompetenter Ansprechpartner zur Verfügung.

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### China

#### **Announcement on MEE collecting opinions on 'National Dangerous Waste inventory'**

China MEE (Ministry of Ecology and Environment) is about to kick off the revision on 'National Dangerous Waste inventory' in 2019, and now asking for opinions/comments for the revision before March 22.

Impact and action to be taken:

To check if any opinions/comments on dangerous waste to report.

Official news can be found [here](#).

#### **Announcement on NRCC (the National Registration Center for Chemical) collecting opinions on Implementation of guidance on Hazardous chemical inventory (2015)**

After 3 years trail on the guidance, NRCC find some issues and problem, in order to have it fulfilled, they decide to collecting options/comments from industries by April 30.

Impact and action to be taken:

To check if any opinions/comments on hazardous chemicals to report.

Official news can be found [here](#).

### Taiwan

#### **Amendment of 'Regulation of New and Existing Chemical Substance Registration' issued by Executive Yuan**

On March 11, the amendment of 'Regulation of New and Existing Chemical Substance Registration' has issued, with some main changes/updates as below and only Chinese version available currently.

1. Addition rules on exemption items.
2. 106 PEC (Priority Existing Chemical) substances registration will be kick off on Jan 1, 2020 and need to be completed in 2 or 3 years based on tonnage.
3. Annual reporting will be mandatory from 2020.

Impact and action to be taken:

PEC registration to be the top priority at the current stage, the data analysis and strategy for PEC registration to be conduct as soon as possible.



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Official news can be found [here](#).

### **CHEMIST Tool updated to Version 4.0**

The CHEMIST Tool for Taiwan notification has been upgraded to Version 4.0, some function updated and more details to be provided.

Impact and action to be taken:

New software to be downloaded before prepare dossier to be submitted.

Official news can be found [here](#).

### **Sign up for EPA Seminar on 106 PEC substances registration**

Taiwan EPA will hold a seminar for PEC substance registration during March 26~ April 15, regulation clarification and Q&A section to be provided to industries, there will be 4 seminars in total, for the same topic but flexible time to choose.

Impact and action to be taken:

Dates to choose for sign up if necessary.

Official news can be found [here](#).

### **Korea**

#### **Announcement No. 2019-129 of the National Institute of Environmental Research**

NIER is asking for feedback on the 'Hazard evaluation results on new chemical substances', for those registered during Oct to Dec, 2017, which has been tested for harmful, toxic, or with hazard classification, the deadline is April 3.

Impact and action to be taken:

Only for those given hazard classification during these period, feedback to be submitted if necessary.

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