NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 30 November 2022, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United States of America.

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**Title:** Addition of Certain Chemicals; Community Right-to-Know Toxic Chemical Release Reporting

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| **Reason for Addendum:** | |
| [ ] | Comment period changed - date: |
| [ ] | Notified measure adopted - date: |
| [X] | Notified measure published - date: 30 November 2022 |
| [X] | Notified measure enters into force - date: 30 November 2022; This final rule will apply for the reporting year beginning 1 January 2023 (reports are due 1 July 2024). |
| [X] | Text of final measure available from[[1]](#footnote-1):  <https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2022-11-30/html/2022-25946.htm>  <https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2022-11-30/pdf/2022-25946.pdf>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/TBT/USA/final_measure/22_8228_00_e.pdf> |
| [ ] | Notified measure withdrawn or revoked - date:  Relevant symbol if measure re-notified: |
| [ ] | Content or scope of notified measure changed and text available from1:  New deadline for comments (if applicable): |
| [ ] | Interpretive guidance issued and text available from1: |
| [ ] | Other: |

**Description:** TITLE: Addition of Certain Chemicals; Community Right-to-Know Toxic Chemical Release Reporting

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

ACTION: Final rule

SUMMARY: In response to a petition filed under the [Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (EPCRA)](https://www.epa.gov/epcra), the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is adding 12 chemicals to the list of toxic chemicals subject to the reporting requirements under EPCRA and the [Pollution Prevention Act (PPA)](https://www.epa.gov/p2/pollution-prevention-act-1990). EPA has determined that each of the 12 chemicals meets the EPCRA criteria. In addition, based on the available bioaccumulation and persistence data, EPA has determined that one chemical should be classified as a persistent, bioaccumulative, and toxic (PBT) chemical and designated as a chemical of special concern with a 100-pound reporting threshold.

DATES: Effective date: 30 November 2022.

Applicability date: This final rule will apply for the reporting year beginning 1 January 2023 (reports are due 1 July 2024).

This final rule and the proposed rule notified as [G/TBT/N/USA/1789](https://eping.wto.org/en/Search?domainIds=1&documentSymbol=usa%2F1789) are identified by Docket Number EPA-HQ-TRI-2017-0434. The Docket Folder is available on Regulations.gov at <https://www.regulations.gov/docket/EPA-HQ-TRI-2017-0434/document> and provides access to primary and supporting documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from [Regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov/) by searching the Docket Number.

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1. This information can be provided by including a website address, a pdf attachment, or other information on where the text of the final/modified measure and/or interpretive guidance can be obtained. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)