COMMENTS ON AN ANNEX XV DOSSIER FOR IDENTIFCATION OF A SUBSTANCE AS SVHC AND RESPONSES TO THESE COMMENTS

Substance name: 1,3-propanesultone

CAS number: 1120-71-4 **EC number:** 214-317-9

The substance is proposed to be identified as meeting the following SVHC criteria set out in Article 57 of the REACH

Regulation: Carcinogenic (Article 57 a)

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PART I: Comments and responses to comments on the SVHC proposal and its justification

General comments on the SVHC proposal

None

Specific comments on the justification

Number / Date	Submitted by (name, submitter type, country)	Comment	Response
4498 2015/10/12	Norway, Member State	The Norwegian CA supports that 1,3-propanesultone should be identified as a substance of very high concern and should be included in the Candidate List.	Thank you for your support.

4520 2015/10/14	Finland, Member State	1,3-propanesultone (EC 214-317-9) The Finnish CA supports the proposal to identify 1,3-propanesultone as a substance of very high concern (SVHC) according to article 57 (a) of Regulation (EC) 1907/2006 (REACH) owing to its classification as Carc. 1B (H350: May cause cancer). The Finnish CA notes that a Risk Management Option Analysis (RMOA) conclusion document has been published on the ECHA website (February 2015). Although the criteria of SVHC Roadmap 2020 for substances relevant for identification as SVHC are fulfilled for this substance, we note that the main use is as an intermediate, and that based on the available information the volume in the scope of authorisation is likely to be low. Therefore we agree that this would potentially result in low priority for inclusion in Annex XIV. The Finnish CA considers that after inclusion of the substance in the candidate list (for eventual inclusion in the Annex XIV) it can still be further explored which risk management measures would be the most appropriate.	Thank you for your support and for your further considerations.
4530 2015/10/14	Germany, Member State	The German CA supports the identification of 1,3-propanesultone as SVHC.	Thank you for your support.
4544 2015/10/15	CHEM Trust, National NGO, United Kingdom	CHEM Trust supports inclusion of 1,3-propanesultone in the REACH candidate list based on its carcinogenic properties.	Thank you for your support.
4551 2015/10/15	ChemSec, International NGO, Sweden	ChemSec supports the identification of 1,3-propanesultone as an SVHC, which is also confirmed by the the official classification as a carcinogenic substance 1B.	Thank you for your support.
4565 2015/10/15	Health and Environment Alliance (HEAL), International NGO, Belgium	We support the nomination of 1,3-propanesultone to the Candidate List.	Thank you for your support.

PART II: Comments and responses to comments on uses, exposures, alternatives and risks

Specific comments on use, exposure, alternatives and risks None