



**AGREEMENT OF THE MEMBER STATE COMMITTEE
ON CYCLODODECANE**

**According to Articles 57 and 59 of
Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006¹**

Adopted on 8 October 2008

This agreement concerns

Substance name: Cyclododecane

EC number: 206-33-9

CAS number: 294-62-2

Molecular formula: C₁₂H₂₄

¹ Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 1999/45/EC and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 793/93 and Commission Regulation (EC) No 1488/94 as well as Council Directive 76/769/EEC and Commission Directives 91/155/EEC, 93/67/EEC, 93/105/EC and 2000/21/EC

France presented a proposal in accordance with Article 59(3) and Annex XV of the REACH Regulation (26 June 2008, submission number AK002049-56) on identification of cyclododecane as a substance of very high concern because of its PBT properties.

The Annex XV dossier was circulated to Member States on the 30 of June 2008 and the Annex XV report was made available to Interested Parties on the ECHA website on the same date according to Articles 59(3) and 59(4).

Comments were received from both Member States and Interested Parties on the proposal.

The dossier was referred to the Member State Committee on 15 September and was discussed in the meeting of the Member State Committee on 7 – 8 October 2008.

Agreement of the Member State Committee in accordance with Article 59(8):

It is considered that it is currently not possible to justify the identification of cyclododecane as a substance of very high concern under Article 57 of Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH).

**UNDERLYING ARGUMENTATION
FOR IDENTIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE OF VERY HIGH CONCERN**

The B and vB criteria under Annex XIII are met. However, only screening data are available for T and P.

Therefore, there is currently not sufficient information available to conclude that cyclododecane can be identified:

- as a PBT/vPvB substance in accordance with Article 57(d) or (e) or
- as a substance of equivalent level of concern as specified in Article 57 (f).

Reference:

1. Support Document Cyclododecane (Member State Committee, 8 October 2008)