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**Amendment 38**

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**Report**

**A8-0336/2018**

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Persistent organic pollutants  
(COM(2018)0144 – C8-0124/2018 – 2018/0070(COD))

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Annex I – part A – table – column 4 – row 1 – point 2 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

*(a) without prejudice to subparagraph (b), articles and mixtures containing concentrations below 0,1 % of tetrabromodiphenyl ether by weight when produced partially or fully from recycled materials or materials from waste prepared for re-use;* *deleted*

Or. en

*Justification*

*The biggest issue connected with the POPs is currently the lack of regulation of emissions in waste. The excessively lax limits for waste in Annex IV and the derogations for the recycling of brominated diphenyl ethers (in particular, penta-BDE and octa-BDE) lead to the contamination of recycled plastic products, such as children's toys, kitchen utensils or food packaging. To stop the flow of these toxic substances, it will be necessary: 1) to remove the recycling derogations.*

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**Amendment 39**

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**Proposal for a regulation**

**Annex I – part A – table – column 4 – row 2 – point 2 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

*(a) without prejudice to subparagraph (b), articles and mixtures containing concentrations below 0,1 % of pentabromodiphenyl ether by weight when produced partially or fully from recycled materials or materials from waste prepared for re-use;* *deleted*

Or. en

*Justification*

*The biggest issue connected with the POPs is currently the lack of regulation of emissions in waste. The excessively lax limits for waste in Annex IV and the derogations for the recycling of brominated diphenyl ethers (in particular, penta-BDE and octa-BDE) lead to the contamination of recycled plastic products, such as children’s toys, kitchen utensils or food packaging. To stop the flow of these toxic substances, it will be necessary: 1) to remove the recycling derogations.*

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**Amendment 40**

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Persistent organic pollutants  
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**Proposal for a regulation**

**Annex I – part A – table – column 4 – row 3 – point 2 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

*(a) without prejudice to subparagraph (b), articles and mixtures containing concentrations below 0,1 % of hexabromobiphenyl ether by weight when produced partially or fully from recycled materials or materials from waste prepared for re-use;* **deleted**

Or. en

*Justification*

*The biggest issue connected with the POPs is currently the lack of regulation of emissions in waste. The excessively lax limits for waste in Annex IV and the derogations for the recycling of brominated diphenyl ethers (in particular, penta-BDE and octa-BDE) lead to the contamination of recycled plastic products, such as children’s toys, kitchen utensils or food packaging. To stop the flow of these toxic substances, it will be necessary: 1) to remove the recycling derogations.*

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**Amendment 41**

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Persistent organic pollutants  
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**Proposal for a regulation**

**Annex I – part A – table – column 4 – row 4 – point 2 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

*(a) without prejudice to subparagraph (b), articles and mixtures containing concentrations below 0,1 % of heptabromodiphenyl ether by weight when produced partially or fully from recycled materials or materials from waste prepared for re-use;* *deleted*

Or. en

*Justification*

*The biggest issue connected with the POPs is currently the lack of reporting on emissions in waste. The excessively lax limits for waste in Annex IV and the derogations for the recycling of brominated diphenyl ethers (in particular, penta-BDE and octa-BDE) lead to the contamination of recycled plastic products, such as children’s toys, kitchen utensils or food packaging. To stop the flow of these toxic substances, it will be necessary: 1) to remove the recycling derogations.*

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**Amendment 42**

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Persistent organic pollutants  
(COM(2018)0144 – C8-0124/2018 – 2018/0070(COD))

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Annex IV – table – row 4**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

Alkanes C10- C13, chloro (short-chain chlorinated paraffins) (SCCPs)	85535-84- 8	287- 476-5	<b>10 000 mg/kg</b>
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*Amendment*

Alkanes C10- C13, chloro (short-chain chlorinated paraffins) (SCCPs)	85535-84- 8	287- 476-5	<b>100 mg/kg</b>
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Or. en

*Justification*

*The biggest issue connected with the POPs is currently the lack of reporting on emissions in waste. The excessively lax limits for waste in Annex IV and the derogations for the recycling of brominated diphenyl ethers (in particular, penta-BDE and octa-BDE) lead to the contamination of recycled plastic products, such as children’s toys, kitchen utensils or food packaging. To stop the flow of these toxic substances, it will be necessary: 2) set stricter POPs limits in waste.*

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**Amendment 43**

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Persistent organic pollutants  
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**Proposal for a regulation**

**Annex IV – table – column 4 – row 5**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

Sum of the concentrations of  
tetrabromodiphenyl ether,  
pentabromodiphenyl ether,  
hexabromodiphenyl ether and  
heptabromodiphenyl ether: **1000 mg/kg**

Sum of the concentrations of  
tetrabromodiphenyl ether,  
pentabromodiphenyl ether,  
hexabromodiphenyl ether and  
heptabromodiphenyl ether: **50 mg/kg**

Or. en

*Justification*

*The biggest issue connected with the POPs is currently the lack of reporting on emissions in waste. The excessively lax limits for waste in Annex IV and the derogations for the recycling of brominated diphenyl ethers (in particular, penta-BDE and octa-BDE) lead to the contamination of recycled plastic products, such as children’s toys, kitchen utensils or food packaging. To stop the flow of these toxic substances, it will be necessary: 2) set stricter POPs limits in waste.*