

## Preliminary Worksheet on Chemicals for Consideration in Green Procurement

Chemical	Concern	List	Products/Ingredients
1,2-Dichloroethane	RA	NTP	Adhesives, building supplies <sup>¥</sup>
1,2,3, Trichloropropane	RA	NTP	Chemical solvent <sup>¥</sup>
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	PBT	EPA	Degreasers, lubricants, solvents <sup>†</sup>
1,2,4,5-Tetrachlorobenzene	PBT	EPA	Intermediate to make pesticides <sup>†</sup>
1,3 Dichloropropene	RA	NTP	Pesticide <sup>¥</sup>
1,4 Dioxane	RA	NTP	Varnish stripper, by-product of surfactants <sup>¥</sup>
1,4-Dichlorobenzene (para-dichlorobenzene)	RA	NTP	Urinal blocks, deodorizers <sup>¥</sup>
2,2 bis(Bromoethyl) 1,3 propanediol	RA	NTP	Flame retardant <sup>¥</sup>
2,3 Dibromo-1-propanol	RA	NTP	Polyurethane foam <sup>¥</sup>
2,3,7,8-Tetrachlorodibenzo-p-dioxin	KHC	NTP	Chlorine-bleached paper products <sup>¥</sup>
2,4,5-Trichlorophenol	PBT	EPA	Fungicide, herbicide <sup>†</sup>
3-Chloro-2-methylpropene	RA	NTP	Pesticide <sup>¥</sup>
4-Bromophenyl phenyl ether	PBT	EPA	Former flame retardant <sup>†</sup>
Acenaphthene	PBT	EPA	PAH, used to make dyes, plastics, pesticides, wood preservatives (creosote, coal tar, roofing tar), auto exhaust <sup>†</sup>
Acenaphthylene	PBT	EPA	PAH, used to make dyes, plastics, pesticides, wood preservatives (creosote, coal tar, roofing tar), auto exhaust <sup>†</sup>
Acetaldehyde	KHC	NTP	Adhesives <sup>¥</sup>
Amitrole	RA	NTP	Pesticide <sup>¥</sup>
Arsenic compounds, Inorganic	KHC	NTP	Wood preservative, treated wood <sup>¥</sup>
Asbestos	KHC	NTP	Roofing shingles, siding <sup>¥</sup>
Benzene	KHC	NTP	Contaminant of solvents <sup>¥</sup>
Benzo (g,h,i) perylene	PBT	EPA	PAH, used to make dyes, plastics, pesticides, wood preservatives (creosote, coal tar, roofing tar), auto exhaust <sup>†</sup>
Beryllium and beryllium compounds	KHC	NTP	Cell phones <sup>¥</sup>
Bis (Chloromethyl) Ether, Technical Grade Chloromethyl Methyl Ether	KHC	NTP	Cleaning products <sup>¥</sup>
Bisphenol A		EPA CAP	Bottles, food packaging <sup>Δ</sup>
Cadmium and cadmium compounds	KHC, PBT	EPA, NTP	Pigments, batteries, plastics, products containing fly ash, stabilizer for PVC <sup>¥†</sup>
Carbon tetrachloride	RA	NTP	Cleaning solvent, adhesive, adhesive remover <sup>¥</sup>
Ceramic fibers	RA	NTP	Fiber board insulation <sup>¥</sup>
Chloroprene	RA	NTP	Glues, adhesives <sup>¥</sup>
Chromium, hexavalent	KHC	NTP	Contaminant, possibly in leather <sup>¥</sup>
Coal tar and pitches	KHC	NTP	Road patching and paving material, roofing material <sup>¥</sup>
Di(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP)	RA	NTP	PVC building supplies, office supplies <sup>¥</sup>
Dibenzofuran	PBT	EPA	Coal tar-based products, products containing fly ash, coke dust <sup>†</sup>
Dichloromethane (Methylene chloride)	RA	NTP	Graffiti removers, paint strippers, lubricants <sup>¥</sup>
Diesel exhaust particulates	RA	NTP	Buses, trucks, power generators <sup>¥</sup>
Diethyl Sulfate	RA	NTP	Carbonless paper <sup>¥</sup>

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Dioxins and furans (polychlorinated)	PBT	EPA	Generated from the manufacture and incineration of chlorinated paper products, solvents, pesticides, plastics <sup>†</sup>
Endosulfan	PBT	EPA	Insecticide, wood preservative (not made in the U.S.) <sup>†</sup>
Ethylene dichloride (1,2 Dichloroethane)	RA	NTP	Adhesives, caulking <sup>¥</sup>
Ethylene oxide	KHC	NTP	Hospital-grade sterilant, fungicide <sup>¥</sup>
Fluorene	PBT	EPA	PAH, used to make dyes, plastics, pesticides, wood preservatives (creosote, coal tar, roofing tar), auto exhaust <sup>†</sup>
Formaldehyde gas	RA	NTP	Carpet, tile, glues, adhesives, caulking, particle board, furniture <sup>¥</sup>
Furan	RA	NTP	Wood preservative, asphalt and patching material, roofing patch, resins <sup>¥</sup>
Glass Wool	RA	NTP	Thermal, electrical and acoustical insulation <sup>¥</sup>
Heptachlor; heptachlor epoxide	PBT	EPA	Banned pesticide <sup>†</sup>
Hexachlorobenzene	PBT, RA	EPA, NTP	Banned pesticide, contaminant of products containing chlorinated organics <sup>¥†</sup>
Hexachlorobutadiene	PBT	EPA	Contaminant in the manufacture of rubber <sup>†</sup>
Hexachlorocyclohexane, gamma (Lindane)	PBT	EPA	Pesticide used to control lice and scabies in humans and animals <sup>†</sup>
Hexachloroethane	PBT, RA	EPA, NTP	Artificial smoke, munitions, lubricants, by-product of incineration of chlorinated products <sup>¥†</sup>
Hexamethylphosphoramide	RA	NTP	Rodenticide <sup>¥</sup>
Lead and lead compounds	PBT, RA	EPA, NTP	Batteries, light bulbs, appliances, computers, products containing fly ash, cell phones, other electronics, PVC (pigment/stabilizer) <sup>¥†</sup>
Lindane and other hexachlorocyclohexane Isomers	RA	NTP	Pesticide used to control lice and scabies in humans and animals <sup>¥</sup>
Mercury	PBT	EPA	Light bulbs, appliances, computers, products containing fly ash, thermometers, thermostats <sup>†</sup>
Methoxychlor	PBT	EPA	Insecticide <sup>†</sup>
Methylene Chloride	RA	NTP	Chemical solvent, paint stripper, printing inks, automotive degreasing <sup>¥</sup>
Mineral oils (untreated and mildly treated)	KHC	NTP	Lubricants <sup>¥</sup>
Naphthalene	PBT, RA	EPA, NTP	Mothballs, dyes, leather goods, insecticides, wood preservatives, coal tar-based products <sup>¥†</sup>
Nickel (metallic)	RA	NTP	Batteries <sup>¥</sup>
Nickel compounds	KHC	NTP	Electroplated items <sup>¥</sup>
Nitromethane	RA	NTP	Chemical solvent <sup>¥</sup>
Nitropropane	RA	NTP	Solvent for inks, paints and varnishes <sup>¥</sup>
Nitrosodimethylamine	RA	NTP	Control of nematodes <sup>¥</sup>
PBDEs (octa, penta and deca)		EPA CAP	Furniture, carpeting, computers, other electrical equipment <sup>Δ</sup>
Pendimethalin	PBT	EPA	Herbicide (used on rights-of-way) <sup>†</sup>
Pentachlorobenzene	PBT	EPA	Fire retardant, used to make the fungicide pentachloronitrobenzene (PCNB) <sup>†</sup>

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Pentachloronitrobenzene	PBT	EPA	Fungicide (used as lawn chemical and to prevent slime in industrial water tanks) <sup>†</sup>
Pentachlorophenol	PBT	EPA	Wood preservative used on power line poles, railroad tracks, fences <sup>†</sup>
PFOS and PFOA		EPA CAP	Fabrics, paper, cookware, electronics, floor polishes <sup>Δ</sup>
Phenanthrene	PBT	EPA	PAH, used to make dyes, plastics, pesticides, wood preservatives (creosote, coal tar, roofing tar), auto exhaust <sup>†</sup>
Polybrominated biphenyls (PBBs)	RA	NTP	Brominated flame retardant banned in the U.S. in the 1970s. May still be in imported products. <sup>¥</sup>
Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs)	RA, PBT	NTP, EPA	Banned in the U.S. but may still be contaminant of some manufacturing processes. <sup>¥†</sup>
Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs)	PBT, RA	EPA, NTP	PAH, used to make dyes, plastics, pesticides, wood preservatives (creosote, coal tar, roofing tar), auto exhaust <sup>¥†</sup>
Propylene oxide	RA	NTP	Glues, adhesives, caulking <sup>¥</sup>
Pyrene	PBT	EPA	PAH, used to make dyes, plastics, pesticides, wood preservatives (creosote, coal tar, roofing tar), auto exhaust <sup>†</sup>
Selenium sulfide	RA	NTP	Fungicide <sup>¥</sup>
Silica, Crystalline (respirable size)	KHC	NTP	Paint, primers, cleaning products <sup>¥</sup>
Tetrachloroethylene (Perchloroethylene)	RA	NTP	Solvents (including dry cleaning), degreasers, graffiti removers, paint strippers, lubricants <sup>¥</sup>
Tetrafluoroethylene	RA	NTP	Used in the production of Teflon <sup>¥</sup>
Toluene Diisocyanate	RA	NTP	Floor and wood finishes <sup>¥</sup>
Trichloroethylene	RA	NTP	Solvents, degreasers, graffiti removers, paint strippers, lubricants, carpet and upholstery cleaners <sup>¥</sup>
Trifluralin	PBT	EPA	Herbicide (used on rights-of-way) <sup>†</sup>
Tris (2,3 Dibromopropyl) phosphate	RA	NTP	Flame retardant found in upholstery <sup>¥</sup>
Urethane	RA	NTP	Sealants <sup>¥</sup>
Vinyl chloride	KHC	NTP	Siding, piping, roofing, carpet, wall paper, shower curtains <sup>¥</sup>
Vinyl fluoride	RA	NTP	Wall, pipe and electrical covering <sup>¥</sup>

### Legend:

KHC = Known Human Carcinogen, RA = Reasonably Anticipated to be a Human Carcinogen, PBT = Persistent Bio-accumulative Toxin

EPA = EPA Waste Minimization Priority, EPA CAP = EPA Chemical Action Plans, NTP = National Toxicology Program 11th Report

† = from EPA Waste Minimization Priority Fact Sheet, Δ = from EPA Chemical Action Plan, ¥ = from NTP Substance Profile and/or NTP Report on Carcinogens Background Document

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