

## News in Quarter 4: (News are listed in chronological order)

### CHINA:

[China MEP Published 1st Batch of Priority Chemicals](#)

[China MEP Published Inventory of Severely Restricted Toxic Chemicals \(2018\)](#)

[China: Kunshan Requests 270 Enterprises to Suspend Production](#)

[China MEP Consults on Batch 10 Regular Notifications to Be Approved under China NCSN in 2017](#)

[China Requires Annual Reporting of New Chemical Substances before 1 Feb 2018](#)

[China MEP Introduced On-site Inspection of Eco-toxicological Testing Data for China New Chemical Notification](#)

[China's Provinces Establish Environmental Protection Tax Level](#)

[China's State Council to List Five Chemicals in the Catalogue and Classification of Precursor Chemicals](#)

[China MEP to Establish the List of Priority Pollution Enterprises](#)

[China Approved 6 New Food Contact Material Substances](#)

[China Updates FAQs for New Chemical Substance Notification](#)

[China Notifies WTO of RoHS Management Catalogue and Exemption List](#)

[China Tightens Regulations on Delivering Explosive Precursor Hazardous Chemicals](#)

[Interpretation of Draft Safety Requirements for Hazardous Chemicals in Consumer Products](#)

[China's MEP Passes Measures for Pollutants Emission Management \(Trail\)](#)

[China Road Transport of Dangerous Goods: New Regulation and Standard Pending](#)

[China MEP Consults on Batch 9 Regular Notifications to Be Approved under China NCSN in 2017](#)

[Progress in Management of Hazardous Chemicals in China](#)

[MEP Order 7: New Data Requirements and Coming Revision](#)

[China's Notification on the 2nd National Census of Pollution Sources](#)

[China Consults on 1st Batch of Priority Chemicals](#)

[China Implements New Environmental Protection Regulations and Standards](#)

### TAIWAN(CHINESE TAIPEI):

[Taiwan's Executive Yuan Passed the Amended Toxic Chemical Substances Control Act](#)

[Taiwan Expects Revised Chemical Registration Regulation](#)

### KOREA:

[South Korea Consults on 54 Substances into Existing Chemical Substance Inventory](#)

[K-REACH: 334 PECs Finished LR Election](#)

[South Korea Issued Hazard Evaluation Results for New Substances Registered under K-REACH](#)

[South Korea Consults on 22 New Toxic Chemical Substances](#)

[South Korea Passes New Biocides Law \(K-BPR\)](#)

[Korean Enterprises in Breach of CCA Now Have Six Months to Voluntarily Notify Their Breaches](#)

[South Korea Updates Exposure Factors for Risk Assessment of Risk Concerned Products](#)

[K-REACH: Data Requirements Reduction for Certain Chemicals](#)

[List of K-REACH Lead Registrants Published for 330 PECs](#)

**JAPAN:**

[Japan Consults on Amendments on Test Methods of New Chemicals](#)

[Japan METI Sets Enforcement Date for Revised CSCL](#)

[Japan: Interpretation of Japan New Chemical Substance Notification and Inventory](#)

**THAILAND:**

[Thailand: 23 Type 3 Chemicals Added to List of Hazardous Chemicals](#)

[Thailand: Still in "Early Stage" of Existing Chemicals Regulation](#)

[Thailand Made 2 Changes to Hazardous Substances List](#)

**VIETNAM:**

[Vietnam MOIT Requires Chemical Importers to Register at National Single Window](#)

[Vietnam Closes Nomination to National Chemicals Inventory](#)

[Vietnam: New Chemical Decree Takes Effect Soon](#)

**Turkey:**

[Turkish Biocidal Products Regulation: Inventory Notification Deadline Approaching](#)

**Philippines:**

[Philippine EMB Clarified Confusions on Chemical Permits](#)

**New Zealand:**

[New Zealand Is To Introduce New Health And Safety At Work \(Hazardous Substances\) Regulations](#)

**EXPERT ARTICLE:**

[Introduction to the Implementation of GHS in Asia Pacific Countries](#)

[China's Pollutants Emission Management: Regulation and Compliance](#)

**WEBINAR in Q4:**

[Introduction of Turkish Biocidal Products Regulation \(Turkish BPR\)](#) (Video & PDF available)

[Management of Hazardous Chemicals in Asia Pacific Regions](#) (Video & PDF available)

[Supply Chain Responsibilities and Declaration of Compliance for Food Contact Materials & Articles in China](#) (Video & PDF available)

**New Translation available:**



[China New Chemical Substance Notification FAQ](#)



[Technical Requirement for Environmental Labeling Products-Water Based Coatings](#)



[Calculation Method for Volatile Organic Compounds Emission from Paint and Ink Manufacturing Industry in Shanghai \(Revised in 2017\)](#)



[GB 31604.2-2016 National Food Safety Standard Food Contact Materials and Articles Determination of Potassium Permanganate Consumption](#)



[GB 31604.3-2016 National Food Safety Standard Food Contact Materials and Articles Determination of Loss in Mass on Dying of Resin](#)



[GB 31604.4-2016 National Food Safety Standard Food Contact Materials and Articles Determination of Volatile Matters in Resin](#)



[GB 31604.5-2016 National Food Safety Standard Food Contact Materials and Articles Determination of Extract of Resin](#)



[GB 31604.6-2016 National Food Safety Standard Food Contact Materials and Articles Determination of Residue on Ignition of Resin](#)



[GB 31604.7-2016 National Food Safety Standard Food Contact Materials and Articles Decolorizing Test](#)



[GB 31604.8-2016 National Food Safety Standard Food Contact Materials and Articles Determination of Total Amount of Migration](#)



[GB 31604.9-2016 National Food Safety Standard Food Contact Materials and Articles Determination of Heavy Metals in Food Simulants](#)



[GB 31604.10-2016 National Food Safety Standard Food Contact Materials and Articles Determination of Migration Amount of 2, 2-Bis \(4-hydroxyphenyl\) propane \(Biphenyl A\)](#)



[GB 4806.4-2016 National Food Standard Ceramic Articles](#)



[GB 4806.9-2016 National Food Standard Metal Materials and Articles  
for Food Contact Use](#)



[GB 4806.5-2016 National Food Standard Glass Articles](#)