

ChemLinked “In America” Conference

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Overview

China and the rest of Asia's markets are vitally important trade partners to United States enterprises. In recent years China and the rest of Asia's regulatory frameworks have undergone great changes. The complexities of new legislations and regulations combined with language issues pose major barriers for foreign companies. To help understand and overcome these obstacles ChemLinked will host ChemLinked "in America" Conference. This one-day conference offers an in-depth demonstration of ChemLinked services and how we can help enterprise deal with compliance requirements in China and the rest of Asia. This conference will feature practically useful compliance advice and offer an important chance to network and engage in meaningful discussion on important regulatory changes in Asia with some of China's top regulatory affairs specialists.

Who should attend the seminar?

Director/Manager in EHS department

Director/Manager involved in the supply chain

Lawyers concerned about the Asian chemical regulatory compliance

Decision makers who seek marketing opportunities in Asian chemical market

Experts who pay close attention to chemical regulations in China and Asian countries



Conference Date

April 25, 2017 (Tuesday)

Conference Venue

The Godfrey Hotel Chicago (4 star)

Conference Highlights

1. A Walkthrough of ChemLinked Tools and Services

Bullet point of services:

- Regulatory Compliance News/Expert Articles: most up to date report and analysis on Asia chemical regulations
- ChemPedia: Wikipedia-style webpages providing all the essential regulatory info
- ChemList: An archive of substance/ingredient inventories, SDS/Label templates and HP statements
- Inventory Toolboxes: Searchable database for chemical related lists, inventories, catalogues
- Database: Unique and comprehensive collection of chemical regulations and standards in Asia-pacific region
- E-Publication: High-quality English translations of key regulatory documents
- Webinars: Regular webinars to deliver compliance solutions and interaction with experts.
- Technical services including product compliance assessment, new product development, labelling service, registration and filing, SDS, GHS

ChemLinked was developed to equip international enterprise with the regulatory intelligence, IT tools, databases, expert insight and advice to ensure smooth trading activities. Regulatory uncertainty compounded by language barriers has made it imperative for companies looking to do business in Asian markets to have access to powerful regulatory compliance tools and digital services and obtain timely and reliable information to aid in the development of market entry strategy, product development, feasibility studies and most importantly provide the information, advice and help needed to continue to do business legally. Based on the feedback of our members we have prioritized development of regulatory compliance contents and a comprehensive digital compliance toolbox. The ChemLinked team is backed by the technical and scientific experts at REACH24H allowing us to not only provide information and a digital compliance toolbox but also aid companies in registration, labelling, filing, product compliance assessment and new product development if necessary.



2. Implementation of Korea Control Act (K-REACH, OSHA, CCA) and Comparison between EU-REACH and K-REACH

Korea chemical legislations (K-REACH, OSHA, CCA) are complicated and even bound to each other, which has caused confusion and challenge on chemical products accessing to Korea market legally for non-Korea companies. Along with implementation on K-REACH for two years, some important changes have been published by Korea Authority and companies face new barriers. On the other side, lessons learned from EU-REACH will be beneficial to manage the chemical registration under K-REACH.

Thus, this topic will introduce framework of three key Korea chemical regulations with comparison to EU, sharing lessons and giving step-wise strategies to help you get a thorough understanding of regulatory requirements. Smart Internet system (NewRSCC and KR Cloud) developed by REACH24H will be introduced to manage the regulatory information safely and effectively.

3. Interpretation of China's Regulatory System on HazChem Registration and Dangerous Goods

In recent years, China has witnessed far too many accidents as a result of negligence in chemical management and environmental protection.

To keep stakeholders well informed of the latest regulatory developments and help them come up with updated compliance strategies, this topic focus on China's Regulatory System of HazChem Registration and Dangerous Goods. The legislation on hazardous chemicals registration (SAWS Order 53) as one main supporting law under the Decree 591, which promotes the implementation of GHS in China, requires importers to register the hazardous chemicals prior to their first import in China. Moreover, we know that the regulatory framework of TDG in China is actually very chaotic and complex. Thus, this topic will also give a brief introduction of Transport Regulatory System and the developments of TDG regulations in China.

4. Latest Updates of China New Chemical Substance Notification

2017 is the 7th year since China MEP Order No.7 has been implemented. It is highly possible that the revised Guidance on New Chemical Substance Notification will be finally published in this year after a long-term modification since 2013. The latest version of Guidance drafted by MEP-SCC in Oct 2016 shows Chinese authority's intention to alleviate the burden on enterprises who are concerned with new chemical compliance works. The major updates in the draft Guidance include the simplification of polymer notifications, the data requirement reduction of low volume regular notification (tonnage < 100t/a) and cancellation of the tonnage accumulation principle applied in present to further benefit the data sharing. Moreover, MEP decided to issue no more domestic eco-toxicity lab permit so the provision related to the testing institutes' qualification is also deleted in the draft Guidance. Accordingly, MEP published an announcement on its website in Dec, 2016 that it will abolish its current GLP approval system for eco-toxicity testing institutes from Apr 1st 2017. Great changes are expected on new chemical regulation in China in 2017. The detailed interpretation of the latest updates will be presented in this topic.



5. Summary and Look Ahead of New/Existing Chemical Substances Management in Taiwan

The chemical management system in Taiwan has been subject to significant changes in recent years. This topic will explain the challenges after Taiwan implemented the registration scheme and required importers and local manufactures to register new and existing substances prior to entering Taiwan's market. In addition, this topic will also specify how the new IT tool CCIP could serve as a basis for post-market inspection and support a better implementation of Taiwan's chemical registration scheme.

6. Overview of Chemical Management in ASEAN Countries (Thailand, Indonesia, Philippines and Vietnam)

In recent years, more and more ASEAN countries started to develop their own domestic chemical inventories and chemical management framework. The language barrier, the poor information availability and the massive communication work among downstream users are always the main problems for overseas companies when the ASEAN countries put something new into force. This topic will give an overview of the chemical management in several major ASEAN countries, including Thailand, Indonesia, Philippines and Vietnam, to help overseas companies know the current requirements and trends in future in each country. Dec 31st, 2016 is the 1st terminated date of Annex 5.6 notification in Thailand, by which the chemical could be listed into the Existing Chemical Inventory in Thailand. However, Annex 5.6 notification is still underway even after Dec 31st, 2016. In this presentation, REACH24H's experience in Annex 5.6 notification and CBI protection will also be shared.

7. GHS Implementation in Main Asia Pacific Countries

Most Asian countries pinpoint their works of regulatory modification in accordance with the pioneering UN GHS. Apart from China, Japan and Korea where GHS has been granted with permanent settlement for a while, a collection of nations are now acknowledging its legal status further down south, including Vietnam, Thailand, Singapore, Indonesia and Malaysia, by issuing their versions of GHS guidance.

This Topic skims over the GHS implementation progress in Asia-Pacific region to enable attendees to grasp the spotlights and is dappled with critical insights elicited.

8. Compliance Strategy of Food Contact Materials and Articles under the Latest Regulation System of China

China NHFPC released GB 9685-2016 Standard for Uses of Additives in Food Contact Materials and Articles and other 52 National Food Safety Standards on November 18, 2016, which indicated the establishment of new regulatory framework of food contact materials in China.

This topic will briefly introduce the latest regulation system in China and analyze two important regulations: GB 4806.1-2016 and GB 9685-2016 in details. In addition, compliance suggestions for the whole supply chain under the new regulation system will also be given.



Agenda

Time	Schedule
8:00-8:45	Registration; Coffee and Pastries
8:45-9:00	Welcome <i>Mr. Robert Kiefer, General Manager of REACH24H USA Inc.</i>
9:00-9:40	A Walkthrough of ChemLinked Tools and Services <i>Ms. Lynn Liang, Marketing Manager at ChemLinked REACH24H</i>
9:40-10:30	Implementation of Korea Control Act (K-REACH, OSHA, CCA) and Comparison between EU-REACH and K-REACH <i>Mr. William Zhou, Chemical Regulatory Specialist, REACH24H Consulting Group</i>
10:30-10:45	Q&A Session
10:45-11:05	Coffee Break
11:05-11:45	Interpretation of China's Regulatory System on HazChem Registration and Dangerous Goods <i>Mr. Jay Lin, Chemical Regulatory Specialist, REACH24H Consulting Group</i>
11:45-12:00	Q&A Session
12:00-13:00	Lunch
13:00-13:40	Latest Updates of China New Chemical Substance Notification <i>Ms. Mona Zhang, AP Regulatory Compliance Supervisor, REACH24H Consulting Group</i>
13:40-14:20	Summary and Look Ahead of New/Existing Chemical Substances Management in Taiwan <i>Ms. Lynn Huang, Key Account Dept. Manager, REACH24H Consulting Group</i>
14:20-14:40	Q&A Session
14:40-15:00	Coffee Break
15:00-15:50	Overview of Chemical Management in ASEAN Countries (Thailand, Indonesia, Philippines and Vietnam) <i>Mr. Robert Kiefer, General Manager of REACH24H USA Inc.</i>
15:50-16:30	GHS Implementation in Main Asia Pacific Countries <i>Mr. Jay Lin, Chemical Regulatory Specialist, REACH24H Consulting Group</i>
16:30-16:50	Compliance Strategy of Food Contact Materials and Articles under the Latest Regulation System of China <i>Mr. Robert Kiefer, General Manager of REACH24H USA Inc.</i>
16:50-17:10	Q&A Session
17:10-17:30	Summary & Wrap-Up



Speakers



Ms. Lynn Liang
Marketing Manager at ChemLinked REACH24H

Ms. Lynn Liang is the global marketing manager at ChemLinked, REACH24H. She is responsible for conducting both quantitative and qualitative market research, developing and implementing marketing campaigns and collaborating with the editorial and IT teams in developing new ChemLinked services in response to member and client feedbacks.



Mr. William Zhou
Chemical Regulatory Specialist
REACH24H Consulting Group

Mr. William Zhou is an expert on K-REACH & EU-REACH, and China-REACH compliance. He has lead and accomplished several projects covering project management, Lead registrations, new chemical registration, data gap analysis, registration proposal preparation, testing supervision, dossier and CSR preparation, etc.



Mr. Jay Lin
Chemical Regulatory Specialist
REACH24H Consulting Group

Mr. Lin graduated from University College London (UCL) with a master's degree in chemical engineering. Mr. Lin plays a key role in REACH24H and helps companies with GHS compliance. He primarily engages in work related to global GHS compliance, registration of hazardous chemicals and transport of dangerous goods.





Ms. Mona Zhang
AP Regulatory Compliance Supervisor
REACH24H Consulting Group

Ms. Mona Zhang is the supervisor of the AP compliance technical team. She has 5 years working experience as project manager of China New Chemical Notification compliance work, including data gap analysis, test arrangement, dossier & Risk Assessment report preparation. As a member of Chinese Society of Toxicology, she has finished the training Course on Regulatory Toxicology and Risk Assessment held by International Society of Toxicology. She is also familiar with the testing institutions in China and participated annual Seminar on Testing Technique of New Chemical Substance held by Alliance of Chemical Testing Organization in China for 3 years. She is keeping close attention to the progress of New Chemical Notification Guidance revision work in China since 2013, and was invited to be the speakers on 10+ seminars about the Guidance revision topic.



Ms. Lynn Huang
Key Account Dept. Manager
REACH24H Consulting Group

Ms. Huang is a recognized professional consultant in Global Chemical regulations, specialty in Chinese New Chemical Substance Notification Regulation ('China REACH'), hazardous chemical regulation in China, implementation of Taiwan TCSCA/OSHA and Korea REACH.

Lynn Huang is responsible for business collaboration with EU and U.S. partners as well as serves REACH24H VIP clients for more than 6 years. She has gathered extensive experience in Chinese and Europe chemical regulation compliance practices and is professional in helping international companies with their requirements about solving global chemical regulatory affairs. She is also an experienced speaker who gives presentation during REACH24H worldwide seminar and workshops.



Mr. Robert Kiefer
General Manager of REACH24H USA Inc.

Robert Kiefer is the General Manager of REACH24H USA Inc., located near Washington, DC in Reston, VA. Robert's career spans more than twenty years in Washington, DC working for two major trade associations in the chemical and formulated products industries. Prior to REACH24H, Robert served as Director of Regulatory and Technical Affairs for the American Chemistry Council (ACC), and before that with the Consumer Specialty Products Association (CSPA) where he served as Director of Scientific and International Affairs. He has extensive regulatory advocacy experience in domestic and global chemical control regulations, trade policy, hazard communication, consumer products and pesticides. Robert earned a BS in Biology from James Madison University.



Registration Details

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600 (USD) *

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April 24, 2017 (one day prior to the conference)

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REACH24H Consulting Group provides global chemical regulatory compliance services for companies trying to navigate the regulatory maze in EU, USA, China and other Asia-Pacific countries. REACH24H offers services that range from regulatory information update, professional registration services, symposium and training courses, to database and software maintenance for the chemical, agrochem, cosmetic, and food industries.

Headquartered in Hangzhou, China, REACH24H also has two wholly-owned subsidiaries in Dublin, Ireland and Washington, DC, USA as well as an office in Taoyuan, Taiwan, offering timely, reliable, and comprehensive compliance solutions for companies, assisting them to compete in an increasingly tough market and set world standards in their respective class.

