

## Regulatory Essentials – October 3, 2018

### Cosmetics Alliance Update

Final Chance to Register for Cosmetics Alliance Fall Regulatory Workshop

This is the last chance to register for Cosmetics Alliance Fall Regulatory Workshop. This year's Fall Regulatory Workshop will be on:

**Date:** Wednesday, October 10, 2018

**Registration:** 8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

**Workshop:** 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

**Location:** The Omni King Edward Hotel, Toronto

[View Preliminary Agenda](#)

Cosmetics Alliance Regulatory Workshops provide members with the opportunity to stay up-to-date and informed on "everything regulatory". You won't want to miss this opportunity to hear from government officials, industry experts and Cosmetics Alliance staff first hand on issues that will directly affect your business.

### **Member Engagement Session:**

Cosmetics Alliance will be hosting a Member Engagement Session at the end of the Workshop, so be sure to attend the whole day. This session will provide an opportunity for members to share their concerns and issues with Cosmetics Alliance staff and fellow attendees. Workshop delegates are encouraged to plan their travel arrangements accordingly to ensure active participation for this one-of-a-kind setting.

[Register](#)

### Health Update

Amendments to the Cosmetic Ingredient Hotlist – Cannabis

Items Added

Cannabis, as defined in subsection 2(1) of the Cannabis Act (see the Cannabis Exemption (Food and Drugs Act) Regulations for details)

This entry was added to the [list of prohibited substances](#) as result of the coming into force of the [Cannabis Act](#). Previously, cannabis was subject to the [Controlled Drugs and Substances Act](#), and these ingredients were prohibited under the Narcotics, natural and synthetic entry. Products containing these ingredients are exempted from the application of the Food and Drugs Act as a result of the Cannabis Exemption (Food and Drugs Act) Regulations.

Items Amended

Cannabis sativa seed oil and Hydrolyzed Hemp seed protein

These entries were combined into a single, broadened entry to better reflect the requirements of the [Industrial Hemp Regulations](#): Cannabis spp. (hemp) derivatives or a product made from those derivatives that are exempt from the application of the Cannabis Act under the Industrial Hemp Regulations on the [restricted substances list](#).

## NHP MAP Webinar Material

On September 27, 2018, the Natural and Non-prescription Health Products Directorate hosted a Q & A session regarding the Natural Health Products Management of Applications Policy (NHP MAP). Below are the presentations decks. The MAP is open for consultation until November 5, 2018. Please provide your feedback to NNHPD on the MAP by filling out the [Feedback Form](#) and sending it to [HC.nnhpd.consultation-dpsnso.Sc@canada.ca](mailto:HC.nnhpd.consultation-dpsnso.Sc@canada.ca).

[MAP Webinar – EN](#)

[MAP Webinar – FR](#)

[MAP Revisions](#)

## Hydroquinone Information Update

Health Canada has extended the coming into force date of the prescription status of Hydroquinone to June 30, 2019, in order for products to remain available to those who require them. This is a reminder to Canadians of [the risk associated](#) with skin-lightening products that contain hydroquinone at concentrations greater than 2%. Products containing high concentrations of hydroquinone should be used with caution and only under the supervision of a health care professional.

## Publication of the Revised Bundle 3 Monographs to Address “Statements to the Effect of”

The Natural and Non-prescription Health Products Directorate (NNHPD) updated the following monographs to reflect the changes to the “Statements to the Effect Of” which can be found [here](#). Below is the list of updated monographs:

1. Borage Oil
2. Bromelain, Fruit
3. Bromelain, Stem
4. Chlorella
5. Cod Liver Oil
6. Evening Primrose Oil
7. Fish Oil
8. Flaxseed
9. Flaxseed oil
10. Kelp Products
11. Krill Oil
12. Multivitamin/Mineral Supplements
13. Pseudoephedrine for adolescents 12- 17 years and adults
14. Pseudoephedrine for children 6-11 years

15. Saw Palmetto
16. Saw palmetto, liposterolic extract
17. Seal Oil
18. Selenium
19. Serrapeptase

#### Society of Toxicology of Canada 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Symposium - Winter 2018

The Society of Toxicology of Canada (STC) is hosting its 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Symposium from December 10<sup>th</sup> to December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018 in Toronto. This is a great opportunity for stakeholders interested in alternatives approaches to toxicity testing. Please visit [STC's website](#) for more information and registration details.

#### Consumer Product Safety and Cosmetics Report

Consumer Product and Safety Directorate released its [Consumer Product Safety and Cosmetics Report Quarterly Data](#) from April 1, 2018 to June 30, 2018. In total there were 30 cosmetic related reports out of 620 reports received. The top three injuries out of these 620 reports were irritations, injuries and burns.

#### Organizational Changes with the Office of Submission and Intellectual Property

Effective October 1, 2018 the Therapeutic Products Directorate's (TPD) Office of Submissions and Intellectual Property (OSIP) will be joining the Resource Management and Operations Directorate (RMOD).

This change will not affect how you submit information to us. Please continue to send submissions to the same address.

The OSIP team will continue to be led by current director, Anne Bowes. The duties carried out by OSIP specific to TPD will remain within TPD. Information dissemination and information management will move to TPD's Office of Planning, Performance and Review Services. The review of administrative submissions will move to the labelling area of TPD's Bureau of Gastroenterology, Infection, and Viral Diseases. All other units and divisions will stay within OSIP as part of RMOD.

#### Environmental Updates

##### Final Screening Assessment for Acrylates and Methacrylates Group

On September 29, The Government of Canada released the [final screening assessment of Acrylates and Methacrylates Group](#). There are six substances that are part of the screening assessment which are listed below. These substances were identified for action under the Chemicals Management Plan (CMP). These six substances were identified as priorities for assessment, as they met categorization criteria under subsection 73 of CEPA. It is concluded that acrylic acid, methacrylic acid, n-butyl methacrylate, 2-ethylhexyl acrylate, butyl acrylate and isobornyl methacrylate do not meet any of the criteria set out in section 64 of CEPA.

Substance group	<u>CAS RN</u>	Common name	<u>DSL name</u>
<a href="#">Acrylates and Methacrylates Group</a>	79-10-7	Acrylic acid	2-Propenoic acid
	79-41-4	Methacrylic acid	2-Propenoic acid, 2-methyl-
	97-88-1	N-Butyl methacrylate	2-Propenoic acid, 2-methyl-, butyl ester
	103-11-7	2-Ethylhexyl acrylate	2-Propenoic acid, 2-ethylhexyl ester
	141-32-2	Butyl acrylate	2-Propenoic acid, butyl ester
	7534-94-3	Isobornyl methacrylate	2-Propenoic acid, 2-methyl-, 1,7,7-trimethylbicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl ester, exo-

## Fall 2018 Reports of the Commissioner of the Environment and Sustainable Development

The Minister of Environment and Climate Change, Catherine McKenna, and the Minister of Fisheries, Oceans and the Canadian Coast Guard, Jonathan Wilkinson, issued a [statement](#) in response to the tabling of the Fall 2018 reports of the Commissioner of the Environment and Sustainable Development. Julie Gelfand, Commissioner of the Environment and Sustainable Development hosted a Q&A webinar on October 2, 2018 regarding the report. Below is the report.

### [2018 Fall Reports of the Commissioner of the Environment and Sustainable Development](#)

#### Cosmetic Ingredient Review One Hundred and Forty-eighth Meeting

The one hundred and forty-eight Cosmetic Ingredient Review (CIR) Expert Panel was on September 24-25, 2018. Below is the CIR Expert Panel Bulletin. The next CIR Expert Panel meeting will be held on December 3-4, 2018 at the Darcy Hotel, Washington DC. The 2019 CIR Expert Panel Meetings are scheduled for April 8-9, June 6-7, September 16-17 and December 9-10. Please contact Carla Jackson ([jacksonc@cir-safety.org](mailto:jacksonc@cir-safety.org)) if you plan to attend a CIR Expert Panel meeting.

#### [CIR Expert Panel Bulletin](#)

#### [Post-Consumer Waste Updates](#)

#### CSSA - October 2018 Updates

#### REMINDER - Register for CSSA Annual Steward Meeting

The Canadian Stewardship Services Alliance (CSSA) will hold the 2018 Annual Steward Meeting (ASM) on Wednesday, October 24 at 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. EDT. [Register here.](#)

**VOLUNTARY STEWARD DEADLINE – December 1, 2018**

New Voluntary Stewards who wish to start reporting in 2019 are asked to submit a Voluntary Steward Agreement (VSA) for each respective program by December 1, 2018. Existing Voluntary Stewards who wish to cancel their VSA and not report in 2019 are reminded to notify the program(s) by December 1, 2018. [Click here](#) for more information.

FOR MORE CSSA NEWS: See the [News and Updates – October 2018](#)