Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum Keynote Seminar: Priorities for UK chemicals sector - challenges, opportunities and the future for regulation post-Brexit

Timing: Morning, Tuesday, 5th February 2019 Venue: 15Hatfields, Chadwick Court, London SE1 8DJ

Agenda subject to change

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- 8.30 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 9.05 Chair's opening remarks Angela Smith MP, Member, House of Commons Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Select Committee
- 9.05 9.35 The industry perspective on trade, environmental regulation and the policy framework Steve Elliott, Chief Executive, Chemical Industries Association Questions and comments from the floor

Operating in the UK chemicals sector - priorities going forward

- 9.35 9.45Challenges for end-users product sourcing, cost and engagement with policy developmentTom Bowtell, Chief Executive Officer, British Coatings Federation
- 9.45 9.55 <u>'Next steps for the UK chemical sector from an international media perspective'</u> Mamta Patel, Chief Executive Officer and Co-Founder, Chemical Watch
- 9.55 10.05 *Opportunities for UK-based innovation, commercialisation and positioning in the global market* **Professor Jason Snape**, Senior Principal Environmental Scientist, AstraZeneca
- 10.05 10.30 Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.30 10.35 Chair's closing remarks Angela Smith MP, Member, House of Commons Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Select Committee
- 10.35 11.10 Coffee
- 11.10 11.15
 Chair's opening remarks

 Julie Girling MEP, South West England and Gibraltar
- 11.15 12.05 Key issues for regulation post-Brexit: REACH, CPL and BPR

<u>Priorities for agricultural chemical manufacturers and the potential effects of changing regulations following Brexit</u> Janet Williams, Head of Regulatory Science, Bayer Crop Science Division

<u>Challenges for incorporating European chemical regulations into UK law</u> Simon Tilling, Partner, Burges Salmon

<u>Options for protecting human health and the environment from hazardous chemicals in the UK after Brexit</u> Michael Warhurst, Executive Director, CHEM Trust

Questions and comments from the floor

 12.05 - 12.55
 Implications of EU Exit and next steps for UK chemical regulation policy

 Dave Bench, Director, EU Exit - Chemicals, Health and Safety Executive

James Dancy, Head of EU Exit, Chemicals and Pesticides, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

Questions and comments from the floor

12.55 - 13.00 Chair's and Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum closing remarks Julie Girling MEP, South West England and Gibraltar Tom Wright, Senior Researcher, Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum