

## COMMENTS AND RESPONSE TO COMMENTS ON OEL: PROPOSAL AND JUSTIFICATION

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**Substance name: 2-chloro-1,3-butadiene (Chloroprene)**

**EC number: 204-818-0**

**CAS number: 126-99-8**

### GENERAL COMMENTS

| Date   | Country | Organisation  | Type of Organisation | Comment number |
|--|---------|---|----------------------|----------------|
| 17.03.2023   | Sweden  | Nordic Expert Group for Criteria Documentation of Health Risks from Chemicals (NEG) | International NGO    | 1              |
| Comment received   |         |   |                      |                |
| See attachment for comments.   |         |   |                      |                |
| ECHA note – An attachment was submitted with the comment above. Refer to public attachment NEG comments ECHA chloroprene 17 March 2023.pdf   |         |   |                      |                |
| ECHA/RAC Response  |         |   |                      |                |
| The provided arguments supporting a skin notation were added to the report and assigning a skin notation is now recommended.<br>Production and use information according to the Swedish Products Register was added to the report.<br>As regards substance name, the approach is to mention all synonyms in Section 1 and then use in each section the name that was used by the original study report.<br><br>The editorial suggestions and errors were implemented as suggested. |         |   |                      |                |
| Date   | Country | Organisation  | Type of Organisation | Comment number |
| 28.03.2023   | Germany | ARLANXEO Deutschland GmbH   | Company Manufacturer | 2              |
| Comment received   |         |   |                      |                |
| Please refer to the non-confidential attachment. The ZIP file contains our comments and a chapter on chloroprene/ chloroprene rubber taken from the ARLANXEO Handbook of synthetic rubber (edition 2020), for ECHA to take into account.   |         |   |                      |                |
| ECHA note – Two attachments were submitted with the comment above. Refer to public attachments Arlanzeo_cha15_final_CR.pdf and Reaction ECHA scientific report OEL CP.pdf.   |         |   |                      |                |
| ECHA/RAC Response  |         |   |                      |                |

The comments concerning use, exposure and manufacturing of chloroprene have been taken into account in Chapter 5 of the Scientific Report.

#### PUBLIC ATTACHMENTS

1. NEG comments ECHA chloroprene 17 March 2023.pdf [Please refer to comment No. 1]
2. Arlanzeo\_cha15\_final\_CR.pdf [Please refer to comment No. 2]
3. Reaction ECHA scientific report OEL CP.pdf [Please refer to comment No. 2]