## **Executive Council**



# OPCW

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### NOTE BY THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL

#### LISTS OF APPROVED DATA RECOMMENDED FOR REMOVAL FROM THE OPCW CENTRAL ANALYTICAL DATABASE

- 1. In accordance with a decision by the Executive Council (hereinafter "the Council") at its Fourth Session entitled "Proposed Mechanism for Updating the OPCW Central Analytical Database" (EC-IV/DEC.2, dated 5 September 1997), which was subsequently adopted by the Conference of the States Parties at its Second Session (subparagraph 11.2(c) of C-II/8, dated 5 December 1997), the Director-General established a Validation Group (hereinafter "the Group") to evaluate new data to be proposed for inclusion in that database.
- 2. The Group met for the thirty-fifth time on 20 and 21 March 2012, and noted that the OPCW Central Analytical Database (OCAD) contained a number of predicted gas chromatography (retention index) (GC(RI)) data for which new experimental data had been evaluated. In accordance with paragraph 5 of the report of the thirty-second meeting of the Group (S/872/2010, dated 27 September 2010) and paragraph 9 of the report of the thirty-fifth meeting of the Group (S/1013/2012, dated 24 April 2012), it was agreed that the predicted data for which experimental data have become available should be removed from future releases of the OCAD. In addition, duplicate predictions were found for three chemicals and, as a result, the Group recommends the removal of three predicted GC(RI) data from the OCAD (paragraph 9 of S/1013/2012).
- 3. In accordance with the mechanism (EC-IV/DEC.2) for updating the OCAD, the list of data recommended for removal will be submitted to the members of the Council and distributed to all States Parties no later than 30 days before the opening of the Seventy-First Session, during which the Council will be requested to consider the data. The Technical Secretariat (hereinafter "the Secretariat"), in the Annex to this Note, hereby submits to the members of the Council and distributes to all States Parties the list of analytical data whose removal from the OCAD is being recommended.
- 4. The Verification Division will, upon request, make available to States Parties copies of the analytical data listed in the Annex. In accordance with the mechanism referred to in paragraph 1 above, any State Party that has concerns about the recommended removal from the OCAD of any of this data should make them known to the Secretariat before the Seventy-First Session of the Council.

Annex (English only): Lists of Data To Be Removed from the OCAD

#### Annex

#### LISTS OF DATA TO BE REMOVED FROM THE OCAD\*

#### TABLE 1:PREDICTED GC(RI) DATA TO BE REMOVED

OPCW Code	Chemical Name	Schedule
17-4-0251p	Methyl methylphosphonofluoridate	1.A.01
17-4-0290p	1-Methylbutyl N,N-diisopropylphosphoramidocyanidate	1.A.03
17-4-0305p	1-Methylpentyl N,N-dipropylphosphoramidocyanidate	1.A.02
17-4-0313p	1-Methylheptyl N,N-dipropylphosphoramidocyanidate	1.A.02
17-4-0321p	CyclopentylS-2-diisopropylaminoethyl methylphosphonothiolate	1.A.03
17-4-0324p	Ethyl S-2-diethylaminoethyl isopropylphosphonothiolate	1.A.03
17-4-0326p	Cyclohexylmethyl S-2-dimethylaminoethyl	1.A.03
	propylphosphonothiolate	
17-4-0327p	Cyclooctyl S-2-dimethylaminoethyl propylphosphonothiolate	1.A.03
17-4-0349p	Butyl isopropylphosphonochloridate	2.B.04
17-4-0350p	3-Methylbutyl isopropylphosphonochloridate	2.B.04
17-4-0351p	Pentyl isopropylphosphonochloridate	2.B.04
17-4-0352p	Cyclopentyl isopropylphosphonochloridate	2.B.04

#### TABLE 2: DUPLICATES OF PREDICTED GC(RI) DATA TO BE REMOVED

OPCW Code	Chemical Name	Schedule
17-4-0296p	Heptyl N,N-diisopropylphosphoramidocyanidate	1.A.02
17-4-0312p	Heptyl N,N-dipropylphosphoramidocyanidate	1.A.02
17-4-0315p	Cycloheptyl N,N-dipropylphosphoramidocyanidate	1.A.02

\* As stated in paragraph 2 of this Note, the predicted data for which new experimental data have become available, and duplicates of predicted GC(RI) data should be removed from the OCAD (paragraph 5 of S/872/2010 and paragraph 9 of S/1013/2012).

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