



## STOCKHOLM CONVENTION

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Subject: Invitation to review and provide comments on the draft risk profile for dicofol

Dear Sir or Madam,

The tenth meeting of the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee of the Stockholm Convention took place from 27 to 30 October 2014, in Rome. The report of the meeting (UNEP/POPS/POPRC.10/10) is available on the Convention's website: http://chm.pops.int.

The Committee had before it a proposal submitted by the European Union to list dicofol under Annexes A, B, and/or C of the Convention.

In accordance with the procedure laid down in paragraphs 5 and 6 of Article 8 of the Convention, the Committee applied the screening criteria specified in Annex D and decided that the screening criteria were met for dicofol and that the Committee should proceed with the development of a risk profile. The Committee requested information specified in Annex E from parties and observers and an intersessional working group prepared the attached draft risk profile.

You are invited to review the attached draft risk profile for dicofol and to submit your comments to the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee no later than **8 May 2015**.

Submissions are most appreciated in electronic files by e-mail to: <a href="mailto:poprc@brsmeas.org">poprc@brsmeas.org</a> and <a href="mailto:poprc@brsmeas.org">mario.yarto@brsmeas.org</a>.

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If you have any questions regarding this invitation or would like to receive hard copies of documents from the Committee, please contact Mr. Mario Yarto (email: <a href="mario.yarto@brsmeas.org">mario.yarto@brsmeas.org</a>; telephone: +41 22 9178831).

Yours sincerely,

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