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Key events			
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Simplification of certain requirements and procedures for chemical products (Omnibus VI)

2025/0531(COD) - 08/07/2025 - Legislative proposal

PURPOSE: to amend certain Regulations as regards simplification of certain requirements and procedures for chemical products.

PROPOSED ACT: Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council.

ROLE OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT: the European Parliament decides in accordance with the ordinary legislative procedure and on an equal footing with the Council.

BACKGROUND: the chemical industry is one of the most strategically significant sectors in the EU, forming the backbone of numerous industrial ecosystems and playing a pivotal role in innovation, employment, and sustainable growth

Regulatory burdens are one of the two top problems named by businesses operating in the EU when it comes to the investment climate.

The **Single Market strategy**, adopted on 21 May 2025, reiterated the commitment for more simplification and readiness for immediate actions to reduce red tape. It also underlined the need to ensure that rules on labelling balance the need to be clearly understood by consumers with the need to reduce market barriers and burden for industry.

The findings of the 2024 Draghi report indicated that the **increasing number and complexity of rules** risks limiting room for manoeuvre for Union businesses and preventing them from remaining competitive. Against this background, certain procedures and requirements laid down in Regulations

(EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, (EC) No 1223/2009 on cosmetic products and (EU) 2019/1009 laying down rules on the making available on the market of EU fertilising products should be simplified and unnecessary regulatory burdens should be removed, while maintaining the same level of protection of human health and of the environment.

This proposal is part of the **sixth simplification omnibus** to reduce compliance costs and administrative burden for the chemical industry while ensuring strong protection of human health and the environment.

CONTENT: this proposal seeks to **simplify and streamline** certain requirements and procedures for chemical products identified as particularly burdensome by industry and authorities.

The proposed amendments concern the following acts:

Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures

- simplify and relax the formatting rules established for the labelling of hazardous chemicals;
- clarify the rules on exemptions from labelling requirements for small packages and the rules on labelling of fuel pumps;
- reduce the scope of the provisions of Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on advertising and distance selling to products placed on the market for the general public;
- ease the advertising obligations for hazardous substances and mixtures, by reducing the amount of information to be provided;
- remove the six-month deadline for updating the label;
- expand the use of digital labelling, allowing more information to be provided on the digital label only.

Regulation (EC) No 1223/2009 on cosmetic products

- the procedure for inclusion of colorants, preservatives and UV filters in the relevant Annexes IV, V and VI of the Regulation will be established to facilitate the process and accelerate the use of new cosmetic ingredients;
- the existing procedure for derogation from the generic ban on the use of substances classified as carcinogenic, mutagenic or reprotoxic (CMR) in cosmetic products will be explained in more detail;
- the abolition of pre-notifications of cosmetic products containing nanomaterials, currently required in addition to notification of cosmetic products to the Commission, and of redundant reporting obligation on competent authorities will reduce administrative burden on business and Member States.

Regulation (EU) 2019/1009 on fertiliser products

- remove the specific extended REACH registration requirement set out in the Fertilising Products Regulation, so that 'standard' REACH provisions on chemical safety would also apply to substances used in EU fertilising products;
- empower the Commission to introduce criteria and a methodology for the assessment of micro-organisms by manufacturers and notified bodies;
- remove the 'unbundling clause' in Article 43 of Fertilising Products Regulation, which requires the Commission to adopt separate delegated acts in respect of each component material category;
- further digitise the regulation on fertiliser products.

Simplification of certain requirements and procedures for chemical products (Omnibus VI)

2025/0531(COD) - 20/04/2026 - Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading

The Committee on the Environment, Climate and Food Safety and the Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection jointly adopted the report by Dimitris TSIODRAS (EPP, EL) and Piotr MÜLLER (ECR, PL) on the proposal for a regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulations (EC) No 1272/2008, (EC) No 1223/2009 and (EU) 2019/1009 as regards simplification of certain requirements and procedures for chemical products.

The committees responsible recommended that the European Parliament adopt its position at first reading as follows:

Amendments to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures

- the term '**digital contact**' is clarified to mean any up-to-date easily and freely accessible online communication channel such as email addresses or a weblink through which a supplier can be contacted without the need to register or to download or use an application. The telephone number may be omitted from the label if it is directly available via the digital contact details;
- by 18 months from the date of the entering into force of this Amending Regulation, the Commission will carry out an assessment on whether further specific reductions of mandatory label elements should apply to **packages between 10 and 125 ml**;

- **the label elements may be reduced where:** (a) the content of the packaging of a substance or a mixture does not exceed the required quantities; and (b) the packaging is either in such a shape or form or is too small in size to allow for a full reference to all the elements referred to in Article 31 in all the languages of the Member State in which the substance or mixture is placed on the market;

- suppliers should be allowed to reduce hazard information on the label of **ink cartridges** intended for use in a printer, under certain conditions;

- the updated rules regarding **label revisions** require updates without undue delay and at the latest within 18 months per actor in the supply chain;

- **any advertisement to the general public** for a substance or a mixture classified as hazardous must include the applicable hazard pictogram(s) or the relevant signal word. The does not apply to advertisements to professional users for substances or mixtures intended for use in the course of their industrial or professional activities, provided that the advertisement is not targeted at or directly made available to the general public;

- when substances or mixtures are placed on the market for the general public through **distance sales**, the offer will clearly and visibly indicate the label elements. This also applies to professional users for substances or mixtures intended for use in the course of their industrial or professional activities, if the offer allows a member of the general public to conclude a distance contract.

Amendments to Regulation (EC) No 1223/2009 on cosmetic products

Substances classified as CMR category 1A or 1B may be used in cosmetic products exceptionally if a derogation request is submitted to the Commission and the Commission grants the derogation from the general prohibition laid down in the regulation. The Commission may grant the derogation where the substances have been **evaluated and found safe by the SCCS** for one or more particular uses of one or more cosmetic product categories considering overall exposure from the uses in those products categories as well as from sources other than cosmetics and of vulnerable population groups.

The proposed amendments stipulate that the use of any **alternative substance** to replace the classified substance is **safe** for human health. The alternative should provide an equivalent function and comparable level of efficacy and performance and should be available on the market in sufficient quantities, or likely to be available in sufficient quantities to meet current demand and has the demonstrated potential to meet expected demands in a reasonable timeframe. Its use should be technically and economically feasible for businesses and especially for SMEs to allow sustained production.

Cosmetic products containing prohibited or non-compliant carcinogenic, mutagenic and reprotoxic substances may **remain temporarily on the market** following a regulatory change, with the timeframe varying depending on the situation:

- if no derogation request was submitted: a period of 6 months for placing and 15 months for making available on the market;

- request for derogation if the substance is not safe: 3 months for placing and 12 months for making available on the market;

- request for derogation if the substance is safe, but the request has been refused due to the availability of suitable alternatives: 24 months for placing and 48 months for making available on the market, under the condition that an up-to-date product safety report remains available at all times.

Cosmetic products containing **nanomaterials** will be notified to the Commission by the responsible person by electronic means prior to being placed on the market. The information notified to the Commission will contain at least the identification of the nanomaterial and the specification of the nanomaterial including size of particles, physical and chemical properties.

Regulation (EU) 2019/1009 on fertiliser products

The amended text specifies that manufacturers should ensure that the EU fertilising product is accompanied by the internet address or data carrier through which the EU declaration of conformity can be directly accessed.

For the purposes of this Regulation, products derived from **animal by-products** that are used solely as component materials in EU fertilising products may be made available on the market only where they originate from animal by-products or derived products that have reached an end point in the manufacturing chain in accordance with Article 5(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1069/2009.

The Commission **will periodically assess** whether the requirements governing the treatment of materials intended for use in fertilising products remain appropriate and, where necessary, adapt them in light of scientific and technical advances.

This review will be carried out for the first time no later than two years after the date of application of this amending Regulation.

Simplification of certain requirements and procedures for chemical products (Omnibus VI)

2025/0531(COD) - 29/04/2026 - Text adopted by Parliament, partial vote at 1st reading/single reading

The European Parliament adopted by 540 votes to 60, with 45 abstentions, **amendments** to the proposal for a regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulations (EC) No 1272/2008, (EC) No 1223/2009 and (EU) 2019/1009 as regards simplification of certain requirements and procedures for chemical products.

The matter was referred back for interinstitutional negotiations to the committees responsible.

This proposal is part of the sixth simplification omnibus to reduce compliance costs and administrative burden for the chemical industry while ensuring strong protection of human health and the environment.

The proposed amendments concern the following acts:

Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures

- the term '**digital contact**' is clarified to mean any up-to-date easily and freely accessible online communication channel such as email addresses or a weblink through which a supplier can be contacted without the need to register or to download or use an application. In order to ensure the possibility for rapid contact which is essential in certain situations such as in cases of emergency, the presence of a digital contact should not exclude the provision of a telephone number;
- by 18 months from the date of the entering into force of this Amending Regulation, the Commission will carry out an assessment on whether further specific reductions of mandatory label elements should apply to **packages between 10 and 125 ml**;
- **the label elements may be reduced** where: (a) the content of the packaging of a substance or a mixture does not exceed the required quantities; and (b) the packaging is either in such a shape or form or is too small in size to allow for a full reference to all the elements referred to in Article 31 in all the languages of the Member State in which the substance or mixture is placed on the market;
- suppliers should be allowed to reduce hazard information on **the label of ink cartridges** intended for use in a printer, under certain conditions;
- in the event of a change regarding the classification or labelling of a substance or a mixture, which results in the addition of a new hazard class or in a more severe classification, or which requires new supplemental information on the label, the supplier of that substance or that mixture will ensure that the label is updated without undue delay and in any event **no later than eighteen months** after the results of the new evaluation are obtained by, or communicated to, that supplier;
- any **advertisement** to the general public for a substance or a mixture classified as hazardous must always include the sentence: 'Always read the label and product information before use.', and also include one of the following: a) the applicable hazard pictogram(s); or b) the relevant signal word.

Regulation (EC) No 1223/2009 on cosmetic products

Substances classified as CMR category 1A or 1B may be used in cosmetic products exceptionally if a derogation request is submitted to the Commission and the Commission grants the derogation from the general prohibition laid down in the regulation. The Commission may grant the derogation where the substances have been **evaluated and found safe by the SCCS** for one or more particular uses of one or more cosmetic product categories considering overall exposure from the uses in those product categories as well as from sources other than cosmetics and of vulnerable population groups.

A substance will be considered an appropriate **alternative** if: (i) its use in cosmetic products is safe and results in reduction of overall risk to human health, when assessed against the substance it is intended to replace; (ii) it provides an equivalent function to the classified substance, in a finished cosmetic product with a comparable effect, level of efficacy and performance; (iii) is technically feasible and economically feasible provided costs and supply conditions allow sustained production; (iv) it is not restricted and is either available on the market at scale and in quantities sufficient to meet current demand or has the potential to meet current or expected demand in a reasonable timeframe.

Cosmetic products containing prohibited or non-compliant carcinogenic, mutagenic and reprotoxic substances may **remain temporarily on the market** following a regulatory change, with the timeframe varying depending on the situation:

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