# EU FERTILISING PRODUCTS HOW TO CE MARK YOUR PRODUCTS? MONDAY 23 MAY 2022, 10H-17H WEBEX

The Fertilising Products Regulation will start applying as of 16 July 2022. The Regulation replaces the existing EC Fertilisers Regulation. The changes to the harmonisation rules are fundamental as regards both the products' requirements and the obligations of economic operators.

Are you producing or selling EC fertilisers and do you intend to continue to rely on EU rules in your activity?

Do you produce or sell fertilising products in accordance with national rules in an EU country and intend to make a change and rely on the Fertilising Products Regulation?

Then join us for this info session to find out more about the Fertilising Products Regulation.



10:00-10:15

## **OPENING REMARKS**

Johanna BERNSEL, deputy head of unit, GROW/F2

10:15-11:00

### 1. CONFORMITY ASSESSMENT

- What do you have to do to CE mark products?
- Do you need a notified body?
- If yes, where can you find it?

Gabor Tasnádi, Certrust HU, the chair of the Coordination group of notified bodies

11:00-11:30

# 2. HARMONISED STANDARDS

- Are there harmonised standards or technical specifications agreed at EU level?
- What can industry do while waiting for the development of harmonised standards?
- What is CEN doing to support the industry in the conformity assessment?

Theodora Nikolakopoulou, DG GROW, and Alessia Gaetani, the European Committee for Standardization

11:45-12:30

### 3. REACH REGISTRATION

- What is new comparing to the current REACH rules?
- Why is REACH registration required under different conditions for EU fertilising products?
- What does it mean in practice?

Jérémy Pinte, DG GROW, and Catherine Cornu, the European Chemicals Agency – CONFIRMED 14:00-14:45

# 4. DISTRIBUTORS SELLING PRODUCTS IN THEIR OWN NAME

- What are the obligations of distributors selling products in their own name?
- How does this work in practice?

Ana-Lucia Crisan, DG GROW

14:45-15:30

# 5. TRANSITIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

• Can you still produce, store, import in the EU, sell or use EC fertilisers after 16 July?

Ana-Lucia Crisan, DG GROW, and Antoine Hoxha, Fertilizers European Commission

15:45-16:15

#### 6. WE WILL MAKE IT!

• What have we done?

Leon Fock, European Organic Fertilizers Manufacturers Association (EUROFEMA)

16:15-16:20

#### 7. SOURCES OF INFORMATION

• Where to find out more? Ana-Lucia Crisan. DG GROW

16:20-17:00

# 8. ANY OTHER QUESTIONS

# PLEASE REGISTER BY 16 MAY REGISTRATION LINK

Priority will be given to questions submitted in advance with your registration.

Additional questions may be asked directly in the meeting only if time allows it.

Find out more about the new rules on EU fertilising products at the following links:

Regulation (EU) 2019/1009

Specific chemicals | Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs (europa.eu)

FAOs on the new rules (europa.eu) [please read this document before sending your questions]