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Certain Hazardous Chemicals and  
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**Chemical Review Committee**

**Nineteenth meeting**

Rome, 3–6 October 2023

Item 2 (a) of the provisional agenda

**Organizational matters: adoption of the agenda**

**Provisional agenda**

1. Opening of the meeting.
2. Organizational matters:
  - (a) Adoption of the agenda;
  - (b) Organization of work.
3. Review of the outcomes of the eleventh meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Rotterdam Convention on the Prior Informed Consent Procedure for Certain Hazardous Chemicals and Pesticides in International Trade that are relevant to the work of the Committee.
4. Rotation of the membership.
5. Technical work:
  - (a) Consideration of draft decision guidance documents:
    - (i) Methyl bromide;
    - (ii) Paraquat;
  - (b) Report of the Bureau on the preliminary review of notifications of final regulatory action;
  - (c) Review of notifications of final regulatory action:
    - (i) Bromacil;
    - (ii) Carbaryl;
    - (iii) Chlorfenvinphos;
    - (iv) Chlorpyrifos;
    - (v) Diarsenic pentaoxide;<sup>1</sup>
    - (vi) Ethion;
    - (vii) Mercury;

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<sup>1</sup> Also referred to as arsenic pentoxide (CAS No. 1303-28-2).

- (viii) Methidathion;
  - (ix) Thiodicarb.
6. Venue and dates of the twentieth meeting of the Committee.
  7. Other matters.
  8. Adoption of the report of the meeting.
  9. Closure of the meeting.
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Item 2 (b) of the provisional agenda\*

**Organizational matters: organization of work**

**Tentative schedule for the meeting**

**Note by the Secretariat**

A tentative schedule for the work of the Chemical Review Committee at its nineteenth meeting is set out in the annex to the present note. The schedule will be adapted as work progresses. The present note, including its annex, has not been formally edited.

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## Annex

## Nineteenth meeting of the Chemical Review Committee: tentative schedule for the meeting (3–6 October 2023)<sup>1</sup>

	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>
<i>Morning session</i> 9.30 a.m.– 12.30 p.m.	<p><b>Item 1: Opening of the meeting.</b></p> <p><b>Item 2: Organizational matters:</b></p> <p>(a) Adoption of the agenda;</p> <p>(b) Organization of work.</p> <p><b>Item 3: Review of the outcomes of the eleventh meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Rotterdam Convention on the Prior Informed Consent Procedure for Certain Hazardous Chemicals and Pesticides in International Trade that are relevant to the work of the Committee.</b></p> <p><b>Item 4: Rotation of the membership.</b></p> <p><b>Item 5: Technical work:</b></p> <p>(a) Consideration of draft decision guidance documents:</p> <p>(i) Methyl bromide;</p> <p>(ii) Paraquat.</p>	<p><b>Item 5: (continued)</b></p> <p>(c) Review of notifications of final regulatory action (cont.):</p> <p>(vi) Ethion;</p> <p>(v) Diarsenic pentaoxide;</p> <p>Contact/drafting groups possible</p>	<p>Consideration of results of contact/drafting groups, including draft decisions</p> <p><b>Item 5: (continued)</b></p> <p>(c) Review of notifications of final regulatory action (cont.):</p> <p>(ii) Carbaryl;</p> <p>(iii) Chlorfenvinphos;</p> <p>(viii) Methidathion;</p> <p>(ix) Thiodicarb.</p> <p>Contact/drafting groups possible</p>	<p>Consideration of results of contact/drafting groups, including draft decisions</p> <p><b>Item 6: Venue and dates of the twentieth meeting of the Committee.</b></p> <p><b>Item 7: Other matters.</b></p>
<i>Lunch break</i> 12.30–2 p.m.	<i>Lunch</i>	<i>Lunch</i>	<i>Lunch</i>	<i>Lunch</i>
<i>Afternoon session</i> 2–5 p.m.	<p>(b) Report of the Bureau on the preliminary review of notifications of final regulatory action;</p> <p>(c) Review of notifications of final regulatory action:</p> <p>(iv) Chlorpyrifos;</p> <p>(vii) Mercury;</p> <p>(i) Bromacil;</p>	<p>Consideration of results of contact/drafting groups, including draft decisions</p> <p>Contact/drafting groups possible</p>	<p>Consideration of results of contact/drafting groups, including draft decisions</p> <p>Contact/drafting groups possible</p>	<p>Consideration of results of contact/drafting groups, including draft decisions</p> <p><b>Item 8: Adoption of the report of the meeting.</b></p> <p><b>Item 9: Closure of the meeting.</b></p>
<i>Evening after 5 p.m.</i>	Contact/drafting groups possible	Contact/drafting groups possible	Contact/drafting groups possible	

<sup>1</sup> Items listed in the schedule are from the provisional agenda (UNEP/FAO/RC/CRC.19/1/Rev.1).