

CHEMICAL SAFETY AGENCY

Non-Governmental Organization

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Chief, Chemicals and Health Branch Economy Division
United Nations Environment Programme
11-13, Chemin des Anémones, CH-1219 Châtelaine,
Geneva, Switzerland

Dear Sir/Madame,

REQUEST TO BE CONSIDERED AS A PARTNER IN THE GLOBAL ALLIANCE TO ELIMINATE LEAD PAINT

The Non-Governmental Organization “Chemical Safety Agency” (CSA) endorses the goal and objectives of the Global Alliance to Eliminate Lead Paint and wishes to be considered a Partner in the work of the Lead Paint Alliance.

We are attaching the duly completed WHO Tobacco/Arms Disclosure Statement and confirm that we will adhere to the principles of the Framework for Engagement with Non-State Actors (FENSA).

The support that we would like to make to the work of the Lead Paint Alliance is described below:

1. Lobbying the adoption of National legislation establishing lead content limits in paint;
2. To enhance legislative and regulatory support eliminating the use of lead paints (sanitary norms);
3. To share information about the problem of lead in paints and other hazardous sources of lead;
4. Awareness raising campaigns for general public about negative impacts of lead on health;
5. To provide information about reducing exposure of lead in paints and other sources of lead on children health;
6. To enhance the elimination of lead paint, first of all, in schools, hospitals and other buildings where children will be present, given children’s susceptibility to lead.

Chemical Safety Agency understands that this letter of intent is not legally binding and that a copy of this letter of commitment and the name of Chemical Safety Agency will be publicly listed on the Lead Paint Alliance website (www.unep.org/noleadinpaint).

Yours sincerely,

Denys Pavlovskyi
Head of the Organization



TOBACCO /ARMS RELATED DISCLOSURE STATEMENT FOR NON-STATE ACTORS ¹

Pursuant the WHO Framework of Engagement with Non-State Actors, WHO does not engage with the tobacco industry or non-State actors that work to further the interests of the tobacco industry. WHO also does not engage with the arms industry.²

For the purposes of this statement:

- tobacco industry means any entity involved in the manufacture, sale or distribution of tobacco and related products, and any affiliate of such entity; and

- arms industry means any entity involved in the manufacture, sale or distribution of arms, and any affiliate of such entity.

This disclosure statement needs to be provided by any nongovernmental organization, private sector entity, philanthropic foundation and academic institution prior to engaging with WHO.

In view of the foregoing, please answer the following questions:

1. Is your entity, or was your entity over the last four years, part of the tobacco or arms industries (as defined above)? Yes|___| No|X| Unable to answer |___|

2. To the best of your entity's knowledge, is your entity, or has your entity over the last four years, engaged in activities that are aimed at furthering or supporting the interests of the tobacco industry? This includes, but is not limited to, supply contracts, contract work, services and lobbying.

Yes|___| No|X| Unable to answer |___|

3. To the best of your entity's knowledge, does your entity currently, or did your entity over the last four years, have any other association or relationship with the tobacco industry (as defined above). This includes in particular investment interests (other than general mutual funds or similar arrangements whereby your entity has no control over the selection of the investments), commercial business interests, the provision or receipt of financial and/or other support.

Yes|___| No|X| Unable to answer |___|

¹ Nongovernmental organizations, private sector entities, philanthropic foundations and academic institutions.

² Paragraph 44, Framework of Engagement with Non-State Actors.

4. If you have answered yes to any of the above or are unable to answer one or more questions, please provide a general statement of explanation.

Please note that the WHO Secretariat reserves the right to request additional information from your entity in this regard.

By providing this statement, your entity commits to promptly inform WHO of any change to the above information and to complete a new statement that describes the changes.



Signature: _____

(duly authorized representative)

Name and Title of duly authorized representative:

Denys Pavlovskiy, Head of the Organization

Name of entity: **NGO "Chemical Safety Agency" (CSA)**

Date: **10 December 2019**