

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**Office of Foreign Assets Control****Notice of OFAC Sanctions Action**

AGENCY: Office of Foreign Assets Control, Treasury.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) is publishing the name of one entity that has been placed on OFAC's Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons List (SDN List) based on OFAC's determination that one

or more applicable legal criteria were satisfied. All property and interests in property subject to U.S. jurisdiction of this entity are blocked, and U.S. persons are generally prohibited from engaging in transactions with them.

DATES: This action was issued on January 3, 2025. See Supplementary Information section for relevant date(s).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: OFAC: Associate Director for Global Targeting, 202-622-2420; Assistant Director for Sanctions Compliance, 202-622-2490 or <https://ofac.treasury.gov/contact-ofac>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**Electronic Availability**

The SDN List and additional information concerning OFAC sanctions programs are available on OFAC's website: <https://ofac.treasury.gov>.

Notice of OFAC Action

On January 3, 2025, OFAC determined that the property and interests in property subject to U.S. jurisdiction of the following entity are blocked under the relevant sanctions authorities listed below.

Entity:

1. INTEGRITY TECHNOLOGY GROUP, INCORPORATED (Chinese Simplified: 永信至成科技集团股份有限公司) (a.k.a. BEIJING INTEGRITY TECHNOLOGY COMPANY, LIMITED; a.k.a. "YONGXIN ZHICHENG TECHNOLOGY GROUP COMPANY, LIMITED"), Room 103, Building 6, No. 9, Fenghao East Road, Haidian District, Beijing, China; Website www.integritytech.com.cn; Organization Established Date 02 Sep 2010; Organization Type: Computer programming activities; Equity Ticker 688244 CH; Unified Social Credit Code (USCC) 91110108562135265P (China) [CYBER2].

Designated pursuant to section 1(a)(ii) of Executive Order 13694 of April 1, 2015, "Blocking the Property of Certain Persons Engaging in Significant Malicious Cyber-Enabled Activities," 80 FR 18077, 3 CFR, 2015 Comp., p. 297, as amended by Executive Order 13757 of December 28, 2016, "Taking Additional Steps to Address the National Emergency With Respect to Significant Malicious Cyber-Enabled Activities," 82 FR 1, 3 CFR, 2016 Comp., p. 659 (E.O. 13694, as amended) for being responsible for or complicit in, or having engaged in, directly or indirectly, an activity described in section 1(a)(ii)(A) of E.O. 13694, as amended.

Lisa M. Palluconi,

Acting Director, Office of Foreign Assets Control.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**Internal Revenue Service****Superfund Tax on Chemical Substances; Request to Modify List of Taxable Substances; Notice of Filing for Potassium Bicarbonate**

AGENCY: Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

ACTION: Notice of filing and request for comments.

SUMMARY: This notice of filing announces that a petition has been filed requesting that potassium bicarbonate be added to the list of taxable substances. This notice of filing also requests comments on the petition. This notice of filing is not a determination that the list of taxable substances is modified.

DATES: Written comments and requests for a public hearing must be received on or before March 24, 2025.

ADDRESSES: Commenters are encouraged to submit public comments or requests for a public hearing relating to this petition electronically via the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <https://www.regulations.gov> (indicate public docket number IRS-2025-0009 or potassium bicarbonate) by following the online instructions for submitting

comments. Comments cannot be edited or withdrawn once submitted to the Federal eRulemaking Portal. Alternatively, comments and requests for a public hearing may be mailed to: Internal Revenue Service, Attn: CC:PA:01:PR (Notice of Filing for Potassium Bicarbonate), Room 5203, P.O. Box 7604, Ben Franklin Station, Washington DC 20044. All comments received are part of the public record and subject to public disclosure. All comments received will be posted without change to www.regulations.gov, including any personal information provided. You should submit only information that you wish to make publicly available. If a public hearing is scheduled, notice of the time and place for the hearing will be published in the **Federal Register**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Andrew Clark or Camille Edwards Bennehoff at (202) 317-6855 (not a toll-free number).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**Request to Add Substance to the List:**

(a) *Overview.* A petition was filed pursuant to Rev. Proc. 2022-26 (2022-29 I.R.B. 90), as modified by Rev. Proc. 2023-20 (2023-15 I.R.B. 636), requesting that potassium bicarbonate be added to the list of taxable substances under section 4672(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (List). The petition requesting the addition of potassium bicarbonate to the List is based on weight and contains the information detailed in paragraph (b) of this document. The information is provided for public notice and comment pursuant to section 9 of Rev. Proc. 2022-26. The publication of petition information in this notice of filing is not a determination and does not constitute Treasury Department or IRS confirmation of the accuracy of the information published.

(b) Petition Content.

(1) *Substance name:* Potassium bicarbonate.

The substance is also known as K Bicarb or KCHO₃.

(2) *Petitioner:* Occidental Chemical Corporation, an exporter of potassium bicarbonate.

(3) Proposed classification numbers:

(i) *HTSUS number:* 2836.40.2000.

(ii) *Schedule B number:* 2836.40.0000.

(iii) *CAS number:* 298-14-6.

(4) Petition filing dates:

(i) *Petition filing date for purposes of making a determination:* November 25, 2024.

(ii) *Petition filing date for purposes of section 11.02 of Rev. Proc. 2022-26, as modified by section 3 of Rev. Proc. 2023-20:* July 1, 2022.

(5) Description from petition:

Potassium bicarbonate, a solid (powder), is used in cattle feed supplements and glass manufacture. It is also used as a food additive and can be a pharmaceutical ingredient.

Potassium bicarbonate is made from potassium hydroxide. Taxable chemicals constitute 56.04 percent by weight of the materials used to produce this substance.

(6) *Process identified in petition as predominant method of production of substance:* The predominant process for manufacture of potassium bicarbonate is absorption of CO₂ with potassium hydroxide. The predominant process for carbonate manufacture is absorption of CO₂ with alkaline liquid. This substance is produced as a pure component, not a mixture.

(7) *Stoichiometric material consumption equation, based on process identified as predominant method of production:*

CO₂ (carbon dioxide) + KOH (potassium hydroxide) → HKCO₃ (potassium bicarbonate)

(8) *Tax rate calculated by Petitioner, based on Petitioner's conversion factors for taxable chemicals used in production of substance:*

(i) *Tax rate:* \$0.25 per ton.

(ii) *Conversion factors:* 0.56 for

Potassium hydroxide.

(9) *Public docket number:* IRS-2025-0009.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**Internal Revenue Service****Superfund Tax on Chemical Substances; Request To Modify List of Taxable Substances; Notice of Filing for Cyanuric Acid**

AGENCY: Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

ACTION: Notice of filing and request for comments.

SUMMARY: This notice of filing announces that a petition has been filed requesting that cyanuric acid be added to the list of taxable substances. This notice of filing also requests comments on the petition. This notice of filing is not a determination that the list of taxable substances is modified.

DATES: Written comments and requests for a public hearing must be received on or before March 24, 2025.

ADDRESSES: Commenters are encouraged to submit public comments or requests for a public hearing relating to this petition electronically via the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <https://www.regulations.gov> (indicate public docket number IRS-2025-0008 or cyanuric acid) by following the online instructions for submitting comments. Comments cannot be edited or withdrawn once submitted to the Federal eRulemaking Portal.

Alternatively, comments and requests for a public hearing may be mailed to: Internal Revenue Service, Attn: CC:PA:01:PR (Notice of Filing for Cyanuric Acid), Room 5203, P.O. Box 7604, Ben Franklin Station, Washington DC 20044. All comments received are part of the public record and subject to

public disclosure. All comments received will be posted without change to www.regulations.gov, including any personal information provided. You should submit only information that you wish to make publicly available. If a public hearing is scheduled, notice of the time and place for the hearing will be published in the **Federal Register**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Andrew Clark or Camille Edwards Bennehoff at (202) 317-6855 (not a toll-free number).

Request To Add Substance to the List

(a) *Overview.* A petition was filed pursuant to Rev. Proc. 2022-26 (2022-29 I.R.B. 90), as modified by Rev. Proc. 2023-20 (2023-15 I.R.B. 636), requesting that cyanuric acid be added to the list of taxable substances under section 4672(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (List). The petition requesting the addition of cyanuric acid to the List is based on weight and contains the information detailed in paragraph (b) of this document. The information is provided for public notice and comment pursuant to section 9 of Rev. Proc. 2022-26. The publication of petition information in this notice of filing is not a determination and does not constitute Treasury Department or IRS confirmation of the accuracy of the information published.

(b) Petition Content.

(1) *Substance name:* Cyanuric acid

The substance is also known as 1,3,5-Triazinane-2,4,6-trione, CYA, or C₃N₃O₃H₃.

(2) *Petitioner:* Occidental Chemical Corporation, an interested person in cyanuric acid

(3) Proposed classification numbers:

(i) *HTSUS number:* 2933.69.6050

(ii) *Schedule B number:* 2933.69.0000

(iii) *CAS number:* 108-80-5

(4) Petition filing dates:

(i) *Petition filing date for purposes of making a determination:* November 25, 2024.

(ii) *Petition filing date for purposes of section 11.02 of Rev. Proc. 2022-26, as modified by section 3 of Rev. Proc. 2023-20:* October 1, 2024

(5) Description from petition:

Cyanuric acid, a solid (powder), is an ingredient used to manufacture dichloroisocyanuric acid (dichlor) and trichloroisocyanuric acid (trichlor).

Cyanuric acid is made from ammonia. Taxable chemicals constitute 27.90 percent by weight of the materials used to produce this substance.

(6) *Process identified in petition as predominant method of production of substance:* The predominant process for the manufacture of cyanuric acid is