

**August 19, 2015**

## **Canada — CEPA 71 Mandatory Notice Issued for Certain Nanomaterials**

Environment Canada on 25 July 2015 issued a notice under paragraph 71(1)(b) of the Canadian Environmental Protection Act, 1999 (CEPA 1999) requiring information on certain nanomaterials in Canadian commerce. The purposes of this data gathering notice are to assess: whether certain nanomaterials are toxic or are capable of becoming toxic; or whether to control, or the manner in which to control, the listed nanomaterials. The notice applies to substances that are listed in Schedule 1 of the notice, and that have a size of between 1 and 100 nanometers in at least one external dimension or internal or surface structure. The list includes more than 200 substances. The notice applies to any person who, during the 2014 calendar year, manufactured or imported a total quantity greater than 100 kilograms (kg) of a substance set out in Schedule 1. However, the notice does not apply to a substance in Schedule 1 if the substance is: in transit through Canada; naturally occurring; incidentally produced; or regulated under the listed laws other than CEPA 1999. Information to be submitted includes: manufactured or imported volume; whether any known or anticipated final substance, mixture, or product containing the substance is intended for use in consumer activities; whether the nanomaterial is intended for use by or for children 14 years of age or younger; and study title(s) of any unpublished or published data or studies on the substance with regard to physical-chemical properties, bioaccumulation, persistence, and toxicity. Written responses are due no later than 23 February 2016.

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