

COMMITTEE ON TOXICITY OF CHEMICALS IN FOOD, CONSUMER PRODUCTS AND THE ENVIRONMENT

Toxicological evaluation of novel tobacco products: Overview summary of data submitted – follow up

Following discussion of this topic at the December 2016 meeting, a data matrix has now been prepared to facilitate the Committee's evaluation. Illustrative examples for two of the products for which data has been provided are attached at Annex 1.

For reference the previous discussion paper is attached at Annex 2.

Questions for the Committee

- i. Members are invited to comment on structure of the data matrix.
- ii. From the two illustrative examples provided and considering the previous paper, is there any information on these products which the Committee would require for a toxicological risk assessment, but that is not currently provided?
- iii. Would any information on conventional cigarettes, in addition to that provided as part of the submissions, be required to conduct a comparative assessment?
- iv. What approaches should be used to derive relative and absolute risk estimates?

**Secretariat
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This Annex contains illustrative examples of the completed data matrix for two of the products.

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