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DTSC DECISION REGARDING THE PETITION TO LIST MOTOR VEHICLE TIRES CONTAINING ZINC AS A PRIORITY PRODUCT WITH A CHEMICAL OF CONCERN

Dear Ms. Cowan:

Thank you for your petition (ID #11589) to the California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) to list motor vehicle tires with tire-tread containing zinc as a Priority Product under the Safer Consumer Products (SCP) framework regulations. DTSC conducted a merits review of the petition in accordance with section 69504.1 of the regulations and has concluded that the information provided is of sufficient comprehensiveness and quality to indicate the potential for adverse impacts, exposures, and adverse waste end-of-life effects. Therefore, we have decided to grant your petition and propose listing Motor Vehicle Tires Containing Zinc as a Priority Product. Moving forward, DTSC intends to issue a technical document explaining the rationale for our decision and solicit stakeholder feedback prior to making an ultimate decision whether to adopt regulations to formally list Motor Vehicle Tires Containing Zinc as a Priority Product.

Sincerely

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