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**Rotterdam Convention on the Prior Informed  
Consent Procedure for Certain Hazardous  
Chemicals and Pesticides in International Trade  
Chemical Review Committee  
Second meeting  
Geneva, 13–17 February 2006**

### **Provisional agenda**

1. Opening of the session.
2. Organizational matters:
  - (a) Adoption of the agenda;
  - (b) Organization of work.
3. Review of the outcome of the second meeting of the Conference of the Parties:
  - (a) Outcome of the second meeting of the Conference of the Parties;
  - (b) Risk evaluations under other multilateral environmental agreements and their relevance to chemicals eligible for listing in Annex III of the Rotterdam Convention;
  - (c) Trade restrictions under other multilateral environmental agreements and their relevance to chemicals eligible for listing in Annex III of the Rotterdam Convention.
4. Operational procedures for the Chemical Review Committee:
  - (a) Procedures for the preliminary review of notifications and prioritizing the work of the Chemical Review Committee;
  - (b) Clarification of criteria for accepting information under subparagraphs b (i), b (ii) and b (iii) of Annex II of the Rotterdam Convention.

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5. Listing of chemicals in Annex III of the Rotterdam Convention:
    - (a) Report of the Bureau on the preliminary review of notifications and proposed priorities for chemicals scheduled for review by the Chemical Review Committee;
    - (b) Review of notifications of final regulatory actions to ban or severely restrict a chemical:
      - (i) Alachlor;
      - (ii) Tributyl tin;
      - (iii) Cyhexatin;
      - (iv) Dibromochloropropane (DBCP);
      - (v) Dicofol;
      - (vi) Mirex;
      - (vii) Endosulfan;
      - (viii) Methyl parathion;
      - (ix) 4-nitrobiphenyl;
    - (c) Consideration of the draft decision guidance document for chrysotile asbestos.
  6. Other matters.
  7. Adoption of the report.
  8. Closure of the meeting.
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