

## OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

# EPA Office of Pesticide Programs (OPP) Meeting with Ethylene Oxide (EtO) Stakeholders AdvaMed

September 2023 – May 2024 Via Microsoft Teams

#### Attendees:

*Note*: Not all of the attendees listed below were present at each meeting. The list shows the aggregate list of attendees for all meetings held.

AdvaMed	EPA
Nichole Distefano, Mehlman Con.	Anita Pease, Director, OCSPP-OPP-AD
Khatereh Calleja, AdvaMed	Eric Miederhoff, Branch Chief, OCSPP-OPP-AD-RB
Greg Crist, AdvaMed	Jose Gayoso, Senior Regulatory Advisor, OCSPP-OPP-AD-RB
Janet Trunzo, AdvaMed	Jessie Bailey, Chemical Review Manager, OCSPP-OPP-AD-RB
Roy Stuart, AdvaMed	Peter Bergquist, Chemical Review Manager, OCSPP-OPP-AD-RB
Jasper Titus, Medline	Melissa Panger, Branch Chief, OCSPP-OPP-AD-RAB
Vince Bartoletti, Terumo	Tim Dole, Senior Scientist, OCSPP-OPP-AD-RAB
Travis Anderton, BD	Linda Arrington, Branch Chief, OCSPP-OPP-PRD
Stephen Yeadon, BSCI	Julie Javier, Team Leader, OCSPP-OPP-PRD
Ken Kohler, Steris	Sue Bartow, Chemical Review Manager, OCSPP-OPP-PRD
Jennifer Adams, Hogan Lovells	Camille Heyboer, Office of General Counsel
	Jonathan Witt, OAR- OAQPS-SPPD-MMG

## **Meeting Discussion:**

OPP held 5 meetings with the industry group AdvaMed between September 2023 and May 2024 to discuss AdvaMed's public comments on the EtO Proposed Interim Decision (PID), and to inform the mitigation in the EtO Interim Decision (ID). AdvaMed has over 400 membership companies who represent the medical industry.

## **September 11, 2023**

Discussed the public comments AdvaMed had submitted on the EtO Proposed Interim Decision (PID), particularly AdvaMed's concerns for the medical device supply chain.

### October 2, 2023



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Discussed the public comments AdvaMed had submitted on the EtO Proposed Interim Decision (PID) as well as alternative solutions to reduce worker exposure.

#### December 19, 2023

Discussed the public comments AdvaMed had submitted on the EtO Proposed Interim Decision (PID), specifically their proposal for a 0.1 ppm indoor EtO limit to reduce worker exposure.

## April 16, 2024

Discussed the exposure limits for workers, and the possible effects of the recently published Final Rulemaking on EtO Commercial Sterilizers from EPA's Office of Air and Radiation (OAR).

#### May 8, 2024

Discussed potential exposure limits for workers and possible compliance timelines for the upcoming EtO Interim Decision.