PROGRAM

8:30 Registration
9:00 Introductory speech from i2a’s Chair

9:15-12:15 SESSION 1: Scientific facts and regulatory status of Sb substances
Aim: To bring everyone to a uniform level of knowledge around the most recent evidence and regulatory actions of relevance to the production and use of Sb substances worldwide
Format: Presentations, Panel & Q&A

Intervenants: CRM Alliance (M. Bruggink), ECHA (C. Cornu), BAUA (M. Lokaj), Antimony effects and exposure expert (C. Boreiko), i2a (C. Braibant)

Topics:
- Welcome to the Environmental, Health and Safety world of Antimony
- Criticality of antimony
- Integrated Regulatory Strategy in short and REACH Registration Dossiers as reference datasets for decision-making worldwide
- Substance Evaluation of Sb substances: justification, process, possible follow-up measures
- Effects and concerns around Sb substances
- Workplace exposure evidence and what it tells

10:15 Refreshments
12:15-13:45 Lunch

13:45-17:00 SESSION 2: Cooperative solutions for a resilient Sb value chain
Aim: To capture the importance of Sb substances among the various downstream user sectors participating, and identify common concerns and cooperative projects to ensure a resilient Sb value chain
Format: Interactive brainstorming and information gathering exercises and panel

Downstream sectors represented: automotive batteries (EUROBAT), lead (ILA), plastics (EuPC/EuMBC), brominated flame retardants (BSEF), PET (PETCore/CPME), pigments (Inorganic Pigments Consortium), textiles (FRETWORK). Other downstream user sectors are invited to join (e.g. Polyester, Catalysts, Glass, Ceramic and enamels, fireworks, etc.).

Questions that matter: Participants will share views on questions relative to the performance of and potential exposure to Antimony substances, and their role in the continued supply and use of Antimony substances. Subsequently, they will be asked to share their main concerns related to Antimony substances and propose practical solutions to address these concerns, as well as their level of engagement in implementing these solutions across the value chain.

14:45 Refreshments
17:00 Concluding remarks from i2a’s Chair
17:30 End of event
19:00 Social event