



Navigating Regulatory Change: Key Updates to EU & UK CLP and REACH in 2025

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Presenter Biography

Gill Pagliuca is a highly respected leader with over 30 years of experience in chemical regulation. She brings deep expertise in Classification & Labelling, and the safe transport of hazardous materials across Europe, the UK, and globally. Gill's extensive knowledge of REACH, CLP, and GHS regulations enables her to guide organizations through regulatory challenges, ensuring compliance and safety at every step.

Gill's commitment to clear, actionable regulatory frameworks, paired with her engaging, hands-on approach, makes her a vital resource for companies focused on chemical safety and compliance excellence. As the former chair of the UK Chemical Hazards Communication Society (CHCS), she remains a key figure in the field, actively contributing to regulatory discussions and initiatives.

Presentation Abstract

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European chemical regulations continue to evolve rapidly, presenting an ongoing challenge for companies striving to stay compliant. This presentation will provide an overview of key regulatory developments, focusing on the recent revision of the EU CLP Regulation published at the end of 2024. We will examine the major changes introduced, including new label formatting requirements, and explore how companies are preparing to implement these updates in practice. Additionally, we will review updates to the list of harmonized classifications from recently adopted and upcoming Adaptations to Technical Progress (ATPs), as well as the European Commission's plans to align CLP with GHS Revisions 8–10.

Beyond CLP, we will discuss the anticipated REACH revision, scheduled for publication in Q4 2025. Proposed changes—including a 10-year validity period for registrations and the digitalization of safety data sheets—have already sparked significant debate.

Meanwhile, in the UK, regulatory divergence continues as the UK government advances its own updates to GB CLP and UK REACH. We will provide the latest insights into these developments and what they mean for businesses operating in both jurisdictions.

By the end of this session, delegates will have a clear understanding of the latest regulatory changes and their potential impact on businesses operating in Europe.

Specifically, they will:

- Understand the key changes to the EU CLP Regulation, including:
 - Updates introduced in the December 2024 revision, with a focus on new label formatting requirements.
 - Changes to the list of harmonized classifications, including the 23rd ATP (publication date TBC), preparations for the 24th ATP, and the transfer of

identified endocrine disruptors (ED) and persistent, bioaccumulative, and toxic (PBT) substances from REACH/BPR into CLP Annex VI.

- The European Commission's plans to align CLP with GHS Revisions 8–10.
- Gain insights into the upcoming REACH revision, scheduled for publication in Q4 2025, and the expected regulatory changes.
- Stay informed about planned updates to GB CLP and how they may differ from EU CLP developments.
- Understand proposed changes to UK REACH and their potential implications for compliance and business operations.