First Regulation Amending the Regulation Implementing the Chemical Weapons Convention (1st AmendCWCIR)

as of 14 April 2000

On the basis of Article 2 paragraph 1 of the Act Implementing the Chemical Weapons Convention of 2 August 1994 (Federal Law Gazette I, p. 1954), the Federal Government issues the following order:

Article 1

The Regulation Implementing the Chemicals Weapons Convention as of 20 November 1996 (Federal Law Gazette I, p. 1794) is amended as follows:

Section 1a Prohibitions relating to Chemicals of Schedule 2

1. After section 1 a new section 1a is added as follows:

"Section 1a

It is prohibited, as regards chemicals specified in Schedule 2 of Annex 1 to this Regulation

- 1. to import such chemicals from a State not Party to the Convention,
- 2. to export such chemicals to a State not Party to the Convention or
- 3. to perform activities as defined in sub-paragraphs 1 or 2 above as a German national abroad."
- 2. Section 2 paragraph 1 (3) will be amended as follows:
 - "3. who export chemicals specified in Schedule 3 of Annex 1 to this Regulation to a State not Party to the Convention,".
- 3. Section 9, first half of the sentence will be amended as follows: "Sections 1, 1a, 2, 4 and 6 shall not apply,".
- 4. Section 13 will be amended as follows:
 - a) In paragraph 1, after sub-paragraph 2, sub-paragraph 2a will be added as follows:
 - "2a. notwithstanding a prohibition stipulated in section 1a, sub-paragraph 1 or 2, imports or exports a chemical or performs such activities as a German national abroad."
 - b) In paragraph 3 (3) the wording "2 or" will be deleted.

Article 2

This regulation shall enter into force on 29 April 2000.

Berlin, 14 April 2000

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