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Betreff: Orica announces HCB stockpile to French incinerator this time !
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Orica have announced they are applying to send their stockpile of HCB to France for High Temperature Incineration. This will be the 3rd attempt to export it. In 2 previous cases, communities in both Denmark and Germany refused to take it.

Orica are currently applying for a permit for an initial export batch of 132 tonnes. They're hoping to utilise the Tredi plant at Salaise and have described the transport route as "to France via Singapore, the Suez Canal, and Portugal". This means a transshipment in Singapore, possible risk of pirates in the Indian Ocean and either a long road transport leg from Portugal or another transshipment.

Orica are hoping for the shipment to occur this year and are then planning to apply to ship the remaining bulk of the waste to the same plant.

More info on this page

<http://www.orica.com/locations/asia-pacific/australia/botany/botany-transformation-projects/stored-hcb-waste/application-to-export-hcb-waste-for-destruction---may-2014/application-to-export>

Any information on the incinerator, the local community or thoughts you may have, please forward to me or Lee Bell.

Regards Mariann

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