

Annual Report Summary

Toxics in Packaging Clearinghouse July 1, 2016 – June 30, 2017

This summary highlights the accomplishments of the Toxics in Packaging Clearinghouse (TPCH) from July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2017 (FY17).

TPCH FY17 HIGHLIGHTS

- Finalization of a multi-year research project on PVC and packaging. The project included extensive outreach to companies involved in PVC packaging. The TPCH PVC Bulletin will be published in the second quarter of FY18.
- 19,981 visitors accessed the TPCH website in FY17, an average of 1,665 visitors per month.
- TPCH received and responded to 28 general inquiries by telephone and email, an average of 2-3 per month.
- Presentation to the Recycling Organization Council (ROC) highlighting the support TPCH provides to member states, affiliate members and companies regarding member state toxics in packaging laws.
- Convened a two-day Annual Membership Meeting in Portsmouth, New Hampshire.
- Hiring of new Program Manager Melissa Walsh Innes following departure of long-time Program Manager Patricia Dillon.

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