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The Prime Minister;

Pursuant to the Constitution of the Republic of Rwanda of 04 June, 2003 as amended to date especially in Articles 49, 118, 119, 120, 121, and 201;

Pursuant to Organic Law nº 04/2005 of 08/04/2005 determining the modalities of protection, conservation and promotion of the environment in Rwanda especially in Article 91;

On proposal by the Minister of Natural Resources;

After consideration and approval by the Cabinet in its session of 14/11/2007;

ORDERS:

Chapter One General provisions

Article One – Scope

This Order determines the list of chemicals and other pollutants that are prohibited to purchase, sell, import, export, transit, store and pile chemicals, diversity of chemicals and other pollutants.

Article 2 – Chemicals and other prohibited pollutants

The list of Chemicals and other prohibited pollutants is annexed to this Order.

Article 3 - Revision of the list

The list of chemicals and other prohibited pollutants annexed to this order may be revised at any time when it is deemed necessary.

Chapter II Final provisions

Article 4 - Provisions not provided for by this Order

Save for what is provided for by this Prime Ministerial Order, other aspects not provided for hereunder shall be governed by laws and regulations in force regulating chemical products.

Article 5 – Authorities responsible for the implementation of this Order

The Minister of Natural Resources and the Minister of Health are entrusted with the implementation of this Order.

Article 6 - Repealing of inconsistent provisions

All prior provisions contrary to this Order are hereby repealed.

Article 7 - Commencement

This Order shall come into force on the date of its publication in the official *Gazette* of the Republic of Rwanda.

Annex

Chemical substance	CAS number	Category
Aldrine	309-00-2	Pesticide
Chlordane	57-74-9	Pesticide
Dieldrine	60-57-1	Pesticide
Endrine	72-20-8	Pesticide
Heptachlor	76-44-8	Pesticide
Hexachlorobenzene	118-74-1	Pesticide
Mirex	2385-85-5	Pesticide
Toxaphene	8001-35-2	Pesticide
Polychlorinated Biephenyls «1»		Industrial
DDT (1-1-1-Trichloro-2,2-bis-(4-chlorophenyl) ethane)	50-29-3	Pesticide
Polychlorinated dibenzo-p- dioxins ^{«1»} and dibenzofurans (PCDD/PCDF) ^{**} «1»		

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No Codification number provided since they are constituted of different isomers

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Category 2 des POPs: Un-intended Production of POPs

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Category of POPs: Intended Production of POPs

CAS: Chemical Abstract System (International code of chemicals)