



California Environmental Protection Agency  
Trade Secret Disclosure Form for Chemical Inventory Submittals  
California Code of Regulations, Title 27, Section 15188(e)

This Trade Secret Disclosure Form must be completed, signed and uploaded in the California Environmental Reporting System (CERS) for each chemical or mixture claimed to be trade secret at the time of submitting the Hazardous Material Business Plan CERS submittal.

**Chemical:**

Chemical or Common Name of the chemical or mixture believed to be trade secret:

**Regarding the Above Named Chemical or Mixture:**

Is the chemical or mixture considered part of any formula, plan, pattern, process, tool, mechanism, compound, procedure, production data, or compilation of information believed to be trade secret?

Yes      OR       No

Is any reported information about the chemical or mixture part of a patent?

Yes      OR       No

If YES, explain why the chemical or mixture is still believed to be trade secret.

Is the chemical or mixture known only by certain individuals with a commercial concern who are using it to fabricate, produce, or compound an article of trade?

Yes      OR       No

Does the chemical or mixture derive independent economic value, commercial value, or a business advantage, actual or potential, in the process it is used?

Yes      OR       No

If NO, explain why the chemical or mixture is still believed to be trade secret.

Is the chemical or mixture generally known to the public or to other persons who can obtain economic value from its disclosure or use?

Yes      OR       No



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If YES, explain why the chemical or mixture is still believed to be trade secret.

Explain how your business is making reasonable efforts to maintain the secrecy of the chemical or mixture.

**Certification:**

I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined the information submitted in this and all attached documents. Based on my inquiry of those individuals responsible for obtaining the information, I certify that the submitted information is true, accurate, and complete, and that these portions of this form claimed as confidential would, if disclosed, reveal the chemical or mixture being claimed as trade secret, or would reveal other confidential business or trade secret information.

I acknowledge that any knowingly false or misleading statement may be punishable by fine or imprisonment or both under applicable law.

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed Name: \_\_\_\_\_