

Scientific Committee on Health and Environmental and Emerging Risks (SCHEER)

Meeting of the Working Group on Rapid Risk Assessment (exercise PACE)

Meeting date: 21 November 2018

Minutes

On 21 November 2018 the SCHEER WG on rapid risk assessment (RRA) and the pool of experts on RRA of chemical threats took part in the exercise PACE organised by the European Commission.

The scenario involved a collision of two ships, a gas carrier filled with chlorine and an oil tanker, and a huge amount of chlorine was released. The SCHEER was asked to provide a hazard statement on the event. An *ad hoc* WG on RRA was formed within 1 hour with the participation of 4 members of the RRA WG 4 members of the pool of experts. The *ad hoc* WG provided the requested output document meeting the requested deadline.