

## **TO CARACAL members and observers**

WSP and its project partners (RISE, Green Chemical Design, Green Rose Chemistry and Wyeside Consulting) are supporting the European Commission by conducting a project **researching options for a potential EU (network of) substitution centre(s) and testing its function through a prototype secretariat**. This is Lot 1 of the tender opportunity [EC-GROW/2024/OP/0038](https://ec.europa.eu/eusurvey/runner/EU_Network_of_Substitution_Centres_Task_2_Survey).

This is an invitation to participate in a survey to inform this project, and an opportunity to provide information and expertise to inform the development of the EU (network of) substitution centre(s). Those insights will be invaluable in shaping the project. The purpose of this survey is to:

- 1) Identify existing initiatives or organisations supporting substitution of hazardous chemicals substances
- 2) Understand what activities a new EU (network of) substitution centre(s) should prioritise for the benefit of stakeholders.

The survey will take approximately 20 minutes to complete, depending on the level of input provided, and the response will remain confidential.

Access to the survey on the following link:

[https://ec.europa.eu/eusurvey/runner/EU\\_Network\\_of\\_Substitution\\_Centres\\_Task\\_2\\_Survey](https://ec.europa.eu/eusurvey/runner/EU_Network_of_Substitution_Centres_Task_2_Survey)

**The survey will close on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2025.**

If you have any questions, please reach out directly to the project team at [eunetsubcentres@wsp.com](mailto:eunetsubcentres@wsp.com).