

Scientific Panel on Contaminants in the Food Chain

Draft Agenda of the 78th Plenary meeting

10-12 May 2016, Brussels (Belgium)

***Meeting open to Observers
with all agenda items open to Observers***

10 May 2016, 13.30-18.00

11 May 2016, 9.00-18.00

12 May 2016, 9.00-13.00

1. Welcome
2. Apologies for absence
3. Introduction of Panel members and Observers
4. Adoption of agenda
5. Declarations of interest of Scientific Panel members
6. Presentation of the *EFSA Guidelines for Observers*
7. Agreement of the minutes of the 77th Plenary meeting held on 01-03 03 2016, Parma (Italy)
8. Report on written procedures since 77th Plenary meeting
9. Scientific outputs submitted for discussion and/or possible adoption
 - 9.1. Draft statement on the presence of plastic microparticles and nanoparticles in food, with particular focus on seafood (EFSA-Q-2015-00159)¹
For discussion and possible adoption
 - 9.2. Draft Scientific Opinion on the risks for human health related to the presence of malachite green in food of animal origin (EFSA-Q-2014-00815)²
For discussion and possible adoption
 - 9.3. Draft Scientific Opinion on the risks to human and animal health related to the presence of deoxynivalenol and its acetylated and modified forms in food and feed (EFSA-Q-2013-00721)³

¹ <http://registerofquestions.efsa.europa.eu/roqFrontend/questionLoader?question=EFSA-Q-2015-00159>

² <http://registerofquestions.efsa.europa.eu/roqFrontend/questionLoader?question=EFSA-Q-2014-00815>

³ <http://registerofquestions.efsa.europa.eu/roqFrontend/questionLoader?question=EFSA-Q-2013-00721>

For discussion and possible endorsement of selected sections

9.4. Draft Scientific Opinion on the risks to human and animal health related to the presence of erucic acid in food and feed (EFSA-Q-2015-00159)⁴

For discussion and possible endorsement of specific sections

10. Table of contents and length of CONTAM opinions

For discussion

11. Feedback from the Scientific Committee/Scientific Panels, EFSA, the European Commission

11.1. European Commission

11.2. CONTAM Panel Working Groups

11.2.1. Update from WG on *Fusarium* toxins

11.2.2. Update from Standing WG on Non-allowed pharmacologically active substances in food and feed and their reference points for action

11.2.3. Update from WG on Dioxins in food and feed

11.2.4. Update from WG on Erucic acid in food and feed

11.2.5. Update from WG on Group HBGV for mycotoxins

11.2.6. Update from WG on Plastic microparticles

11.2.7. Update from WG on Zearalenone in feed

11.2.8. Update from WG on Previous cargoes

11.2.9. Update from WG on Perfluoroalkylated substances in food

11.2.10. Update from WG on Furan in food

11.3. EFSA

11.3.1. Advisory Forum

11.3.2. Management Board

11.3.3. Other

11.4. Scientific Committee and its Working Groups of interest to the CONTAM Panel

12. Other scientific topics for information and/or discussion

12.1. Present status of current outsourcing activities of the CONTAM Team (BIOCONTAM Unit)

13. Answers to questions from Observers (in application of the *EFSA Guidelines for Observers*)

14. Any other business

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