

Parma, 13 May 2013

Unit on Biological Monitoring (BIOMO)

Minutes of the 6th meeting of the Working Group on Epidemiological Indicators for Meat Inspection of Solipeds

Web-conference, 7 May 2013

(Agreed on 13 May 2013)

Participants

- WG Experts:
 - Geneviève Bénard, Monique Fresnel, Edoardo Pozio.
- Hearing Experts:
 - Not applicable
- European Commission and/or Member States representative:
 - Not applicable
- EFSA:
 - BIOMO unit: Valentina Rizzi (chair), Giusi Amore

1. Welcome and apologies

The Chair welcomed the participants. All the invited experts attended the web-conference.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence and Scientific Decision-Making Processes¹ and the Decision of the Executive Director implementing this Policy regarding Declarations of Interests², EFSA screened the Annual Declaration of interest and the Specific Declaration of interest) filled in by the experts invited for the present meeting. No conflicts of

¹ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/keydocs/docs/independencepolicy.pdf

² http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/keydocs/docs/independencerules.pdf



interests related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process or at the Oral Declaration of interest at the beginning of this meeting.

4. Agreement of the minutes of the 5th Working Group meeting held on 30 January 2013, Parma

The minutes were agreed on 18 February 2013 and published on the EFSA website on 27 February 2013.

5. Scientific topic for discussion

5.1 Discussion of the draft report and experts' contributions (EFSA-Q-2012-00579)

The latest version of the draft report on harmonised epidemiological indicators for meat inspection of solipeds was discussed. All the comments received from the peer-reviewer and during consultation were thoroughly discussed and addressed. The three terms of reference were specifically addressed. Tasks were allocated among the members of the working group for the finalisation of the report, which will be published at the end of June 2013.

6. Next meeting

No other meetings are scheduled for this working group.



Parma, 18 February 2013

Unit on Biological Monitoring (BIOMO)

Minutes of the 5th meeting of the Working Group on Epidemiological Indicators for Meat Inspection of Solipeds

Held on 30 January 2013, Parma

(Agreed on 18 February 2013)

Participants

- WG Experts:
 - o Geneviève Bénard, Monique Fresnel, Edoardo Pozio.
- Hearing Experts:
 - Not applicable
- European Commission and/or Member States representative:
 - Not applicable
- EFSA:
 - o BIOMO unit: Valentina Rizzi (chair), Giusi Amore
 - o BIOHAZ unit: Pietro Stella

1. Welcome and apologies

The Chair welcomed the participants.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence and Scientific Decision-Making Processes and the Decision of the Executive Director implementing this Policy regarding Declarations of Interests, EFSA screened the Annual Declaration of interest and the Specific Declaration of interest filled in by the experts invited for the present meeting. No conflicts of interests related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process or at the Oral Declaration of interest at the beginning of this meeting.



4. Agreement of the minutes of the 4th Working Group meeting held on 5 December 2012, Parma

The minutes were agreed on 5 December 2012 and published on the EFSA website on 15 February 2013.

5. Scientific topic for discussion

5.1 Discussion of the draft report and experts' contributions (EFSA-Q-2012-00579)

The latest version of the draft report on harmonised epidemiological indicators for meat inspection of solipeds was discussed and revised section by section. The discussion focused on the proposed epidemiological indicators. The three terms of reference were specifically addressed. Tasks were allocated among the members of the working group for further drafting of the report.

6. Next meeting

The next meeting will be held on 22 April 2013, as web-conference.



Parma, 5 December 2012

Unit on Biological Monitoring

Minutes of the 4th meeting of the Working Group on Epidemiological Indicators for Meat Inspection of Solipeds

Parma, 5th December 2012

(Adopted by the WG on 5th December 2012)

Participants

WG Experts: Geneviève Bénard, Monique Fresnel, Edoardo Pozio.

Hearing Experts: -

Observers: -

EFSA: Valentina Rizzi (chair), Giusi Amore, Pia Mäkela, Pietro

Stella (BIOHAZ).

1. Welcome and apologies

The Chair welcomed the participants.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Declarations of Interests, EFSA screened the Annual Declaration of interest (ADoI) and Specific Declaration of interest (SDoI) filled in by the experts invited for the present meeting. No conflicts of interests related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process or at the beginning of this meeting.

4. Discussions

The latest version of the draft report was discussed and revised section by section. The discussion focused on the proposed epidemiological indicators. Tasks were allocated among the members of the working group for further drafting of the report.

5. Next meeting date

The next meeting will be agreed by email.



Parma, 1 October 2012

Unit on Biological Monitoring

Minutes of the 3rd meeting of the Working Group on Epidemiological Indicators for Meat Inspection of Solipeds

Parma, 1st October 2012

(Adopted by the WG on 1st October 2012)

Participants

WG Experts: Geneviève Bénard, Monique Fresnel, Edoardo Pozio.

Hearing Experts: -

Observers: -

EFSA: Valentina Rizzi (chair), Giusi Amore, Pietro Stella

(BIOHAZ).

1. Welcome and apologies

The Chair welcomed the participants.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Declarations of Interests, EFSA screened the Annual Declaration of interest (ADoI) filled in by the experts invited to participate in the present meeting. No conflicts of interests related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process or at the beginning of this meeting.

4. Discussions

The draft report was revised section by section. The discussion focused on the risk factors for *Trichinella* in domestic solipeds. Possible harmonised indicators for *Trichinella* in meat inspection of solipeds were also discussed. Tasks were allocated among the members of the working group for further drafting of the report.

5. Next meeting date

The next meeting will be agreed by email.



Parma, 25 July 2012

Unit on Biological Monitoring

Minutes of the 2nd meeting of the Working Group on Epidemiological Indicators for Meat Inspection of Solipeds

Parma, 25 July 2012

(Adopted by the WG on 25 July 2012)

Participants

WG Experts: Monique Fresnel, Geneviève Bénard.

Hearing Experts: -

Observers: -

EFSA: Valentina Rizzi (chair), Giusi Amore, Elena Mazzolini.

1. Welcome and apologies

The Chair welcomed the participants. Apologies were received from Edoardo Pozio.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Declarations of Interests, EFSA screened the Annual Declaration of interest (ADoI) filled in by the experts invited to participate in the present meeting. No conflicts of interests related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process or at the beginning of this meeting.

4. Discussions

The draft report was revised section by section. The discussion focused on the risk factors for *Trichinella* in domestic solipeds. Possible harmonised indicators for *Trichinella* in meat inspection of solipeds were also discussed. Tasks were allocated among the members of the working group for further drafting of the report.



5. Next meeting date

The next meeting will be held on 1st October 2012. The venue of the meeting will be agreed by email.



Parma, 6 June 2012

Unit on Biological Monitoring

Minutes of the 1st meeting of the Working Group on Epidemiological Indicators for Meat Inspection of Solipeds

Web-conference, 6 June 2012

(Adopted by the WG on 6 June 2012)

Participants

WG Experts: Edoardo Pozio, Monique Fresnel, Geneviève Bénard.

Hearing Experts: -

Observers: -

EFSA: Valentina Rizzi (chair), Elena Mazzolini.

1. Welcome and apologies

The Chair welcomed the participants.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Declarations of Interests, EFSA screened the Annual Declaration of interest (ADol) filled in by the experts invited to participate in the present meeting. No conflicts of interests related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process or at the beginning of this meeting.

4. Discussions

The mandate from the European Commission was discussed. Tasks were allocated among the members of the working group for further drafting of the report.

5. Next meeting date

Experts will agree on the date and the venue of the 2nd WG meeting by email.