

Parma, 5 November 2012 EFSA/CONTAM/1885

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON CONTAMINANTS IN THE FOOD CHAIN

Minutes of the 5th meeting of the Working Group on Dioxins in Food for Children AudioWeb, 5 November 2012

EFSA / Unit on Contaminants / Dioxins in Food for Children

Agreed by the WG on 5 November 2012

Participants

WG Experts Diane Benford, Peter Fürst (Chair), Ron Hoogenboom and Rolaf

van Leeuwen.

Hearing Experts -

Observers Nikola Lange (BfR).

EFSA Fanny Heraud and Luisa Ramos Bordajandi.

1. Welcome and apologies

The Chair welcomed the participants. Apologies were received from Frans Verstraete (DG-Health and Consumers).

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/or 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 Working Group discussed the draft opinion on the presence of dioxins and DL-PCBs in commercially available food for infants and young children (EFSA-Q-2011-01091). Revisions were proposed and they will be implemented before the draft opinion is presented for possible adoption at the next CONTAM Panel meeting.



5. Next meeting date

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Parma, 12 October 2012 EFSA/CONTAM/1882

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON CONTAMINANTS IN THE FOOD CHAIN

Minutes of the 4th meeting of the Working Group on Dioxins in Food for Children AudioWeb, 12 October 2012

EFSA / Unit on Contaminants / Dioxins in Food for Children

Agreed by the WG on 12 October 2012

Participants

WG Experts Diane Benford, Peter Fürst (Chair), Ron Hoogenboom and Rolaf

van Leeuwen.

Hearing Experts -

Observers Nikola Lange (BfR), Frans Verstraete (DG-Health and Consumers).

EFSA Nicklas Gustavsson, Fanny Heraud and Luisa Ramos Bordajandi.

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/or 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 Working Group discussed the available chapters of the draft opinion on the presence of dioxins and DL-PCBs in commercially available food for infants and young children (EFSA-Q-2011-01091). Revisions were proposed and they will be implemented before the next WG meeting.



5. Next meeting date

The next WG meeting will be held 5 November 2012 (AudioWeb).



Contaminants Unit

Parma, 1 October 2012 EFSA/CONTAM/1873

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON CONTAMINANTS IN THE FOOD CHAIN

Minutes of the 3rd meeting of the Working Group on Dioxins in Food for Children Audio-web conference, 1 October 2012 EFSA / Unit on Contaminants / Dioxins in Food for Children

Agreed by the WG on 1 October 2012

Participants

WG Experts Diane Benford, Peter Fürst (Chair), Ron Hoogenboom and Rolaf

van Leeuwen.

Hearing Experts -

Observers Nikola Lange (BfR), Frans Verstraete (DG-Health and Consumers).

EFSA Mari Eskola, Nicklas Gustavsson and Fanny Heraud.

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/or 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 Working Group discussed the available chapters of the draft opinion on the presence of dioxins and DL-PCBs in commercially available food for infants and young children (EFSA-Q-2011-01091). Further revisions were proposed to the chapters of this scientific output.

5. Next meeting date

The next WG meeting will be held 12 October 2012 (AudioWeb).



Brussels, 5 September 2012 EFSA/CONTAM/1850

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON CONTAMINANTS IN THE FOOD CHAIN

Minutes of the 2nd meeting of the Working Group on Dioxins in Food for Children Brussels, 5 September 2012

EFSA / Unit on Contaminants / Dioxins in Food for Children

Agreed by the WG on 5 September 2012

Participants

WG Experts Diane Benford, Peter Fürst (Chair), Ron Hoogenboom and Rolaf

van Leeuwen.

Hearing Experts -

Observers Nikola Lange (BfR), Frans Verstraete (DG-Health and Consumers).

EFSA Fanny Heraud and Luisa Ramos Bordajandi.

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/or 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 Working Group discussed the available chapters of the draft opinion on the presence of dioxins and DL-PCBs in commercially available food for infants and young children (EFSA-Q-2011-01091). Revisions were proposed and they will be implemented before the next WG meeting.



5. Next meeting date

The next WG meeting will be held 1 October 2012 (AudioWeb).



Parma, 16 July 2012 EFSA/CONTAM/1815

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON CONTAMINANTS IN THE FOOD CHAIN

Minutes of the 1st meeting of the Working Group on Dioxins in Food for Children AudioWeb, 16 July 2012

EFSA / Unit on Contaminants / Dioxins in Food for Children

Agreed by the WG on 16 July 2012

Participants

WG Experts Diane Benford, Peter Fürst (Chair), Ron Hoogenboom and Rolaf

van Leeuwen.

Hearing Experts -

Observers (eg. EC) Frans Verstraete

EFSA Nicklas Gustavsson, Fanny Heraud and Luisa Ramos Bordajandi.

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/or 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 Working Group discussed how to tackle the draft opinion on the presence of dioxins and DL-PCBs in commercially available food for infants and young children (EFSA-Q-2011-01091), the timeline and the distribution of tasks.

5. Next meeting date

The next WG meeting will be held 5 September 2012.