



Animal and Plant Health Unit (ALPHA Unit)

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON PLANT HEALTH

MINUTES OF THE 14th MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP ON HIGH RISK PLANTS (Momordica)

Held on 16 December 2020,

Web-meeting

(Agreed by e-mail on 20 December 2020)¹

Participants

- Working Group Members:²
 - Panagiotis Milonas (Chair)
 - Antoon Loomans
 - Andrea Lucchi
 - Roel Potting

- Hearing Experts³:
 - Not Applicable

- European Commission and/or Member States representatives:
 - Not Applicable

- EFSA:
 - ALPHA Unit: Eduardo de la Peña, scientific officer
 - ALPHA Unit: Oresteia Sfyra, trainee

- Others:
 - Not Applicable

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³ As defined in Article 17 of the Decision of the Executive Director concerning the selection of members of the Scientific Committee, the Scientific Panels, and the selection of external experts to assist EFSA with its scientific work:
<http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/keydocs/docs/expertselection.pdf>.

1. Welcome and apologies for absence

All working group experts attended the meeting i.e.: Panagiotis Milonas (Chair), Antoon Loomans, Andrea Lucchi, Roel Potting.

The Chair welcomed the participants.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted.

3. Declarations of Interest of Working Groups members

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁴ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁵, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting. No Conflicts of Interest related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process, and no interests were declared orally by the members at the beginning of this meeting.

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁶ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁷, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting.

4. Agreement of the minutes of the 14th Working Group meeting held on 16 December of 2020.

The minutes of the 14th Working Group meeting held on 16 December 2020 were agreed by e-mail by the WG experts the 20th of December 2020.

5. Hearing Expert (s)⁸

Not applicable

⁴ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁵ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁶ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁷ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁸ This item is optional

6. Scientific topic(s) for discussion

- Addressing the comments from Panel members on the Scientific Opinions for Honduras (EFSA-Q-2020-00044), Mexico (EFSA-Q-2019-00792), Thailand (EFSA-Q-2019-00791), Suriname (EFSA-Q-2019-00816) and Sri Lanka (EFSA-Q-2019-00806) on *Momordica charantia* L. fruits.

7. Any Other Business

8. Next meeting(s)

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON PLANT HEALTH

MINUTES OF THE 13th MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP ON HIGH RISK PLANTS (Momordica)

Held on 07 December 2020,

Web-meeting

(Agreed by e-mail on 20 December 2020)⁹

Participants

- Working Group Members:¹⁰
Panagiotis Milonas (Chair)
Antoon Loomans
Andrea Lucchi
Roel Potting
- Hearing Experts¹¹:
Not Applicable
- European Commission and/or Member States representatives:
Not Applicable
- EFSA:
ALPHA Unit: Eduardo de la Peña, scientific officer
ALPHA Unit: Oresteia Sfyra, trainee
- Others:
Not Applicable

9. Welcome and apologies for absence

All working group experts attended the meeting i.e.: Panagiotis Milonas (Chair), Antoon Loomans, Andrea Lucchi, Roel Potting.

The Chair welcomed the participants.

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<http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/keydocs/docs/expertselection.pdf>.

10. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted.

11. Declarations of Interest of Working Groups members

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence¹² and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management¹³, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting. No Conflicts of Interest related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process, and no interests were declared orally by the members at the beginning of this meeting.

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence¹⁴ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management¹⁵, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting.

12. Agreement of the minutes of the 13th Working Group meeting held on 07 December of 2020.

The minutes of the 13th Working Group meeting held on 07 December 2020 were agreed by e-mail by the WG experts the 20th of December 2020.

13. Hearing Expert (s)¹⁶

Not applicable

¹² http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

¹³ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

¹⁴ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

¹⁵ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

¹⁶ This item is optional

14. Scientific topic(s) for discussion

- Finalising the Scientific Opinions for Honduras (EFSA-Q-2020-00044), Mexico (EFSA-Q-2019-00792), Thailand (EFSA-Q-2019-00791), Suriname (EFSA-Q-2019-00816) and Sri Lanka (EFSA-Q-2019-00806) on *Momordica charantia* L. fruits.

15. Any Other Business

16. Next meeting(s)

- The group agreed on having a follow-up web-meeting on the 16th of December 2020.

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON PLANT HEALTH

MINUTES OF THE 12th MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP ON HIGH RISK PLANTS (Momordica)

Held on 19 November 2020,

Web-meeting

(Agreed by e-mail on 25 November 2020)¹⁷

Participants

- Working Group Members:¹⁸
 - Panagiotis Milonas (Chair)
 - Antoon Loomans
 - Andrea Lucchi
 - Roel Potting

- Hearing Experts¹⁹:
 - Not Applicable

- European Commission and/or Member States representatives:
 - Not Applicable

- EFSA:
 - ALPHA Unit: Eduardo de la Peña, scientific officer
 - ALPHA Unit: Oresteia Sfyra, trainee

- Others:
 - Not Applicable

17. Welcome and apologies for absence

All working group experts attended the meeting i.e.: Panagiotis Milonas (Chair), Antoon Loomans, Andrea Lucchi, Roel Potting.

The Chair welcomed the participants.

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<http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/keydocs/docs/expertselection.pdf>.

18. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted.

19. Declarations of Interest of Working Groups members

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence²⁰ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management²¹, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting. No Conflicts of Interest related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process, and no interests were declared orally by the members at the beginning of this meeting.

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence²² and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management²³, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting.

20. Agreement of the minutes of the 12th Working Group meeting held on 19 November of 2020.

The minutes of the 12th Working Group meeting held on 19 November 2020 were agreed by e-mail by the WG experts the 25th of November 2020.

21. Hearing Expert (s)²⁴

Not applicable

²⁰ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

²¹ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

²² http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

²³ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

²⁴ This item is optional

22. Scientific topic(s) for discussion

- Addressing the comments from Panel members on the Scientific Opinion for Honduras on *Momordica charantia* L. fruits (EFSA-Q-2020-00044).

23. Any Other Business

24. Next meeting(s)

- The group agreed on having a follow-up web-meeting on the 07th of December 2020.

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON PLANT HEALTH

MINUTES OF THE 11th MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP ON HIGH RISK PLANTS (Momordica)

Held on 04 November 2020,

Web-meeting

(Agreed by e-mail on 09 November 2020)²⁵

Participants

- Working Group Members:²⁶
 - Panagiotis Milonas (Chair)
 - Antoon Loomans
 - Andrea Lucchi
 - Roel Potting

- Hearing Experts²⁷:
 - Not Applicable

- European Commission and/or Member States representatives:
 - Not Applicable

- EFSA:
 - ALPHA Unit: Eduardo de la Peña, scientific officer
 - AMU Unit: Olaf Mosbach-Schulz, scientific officer

- Others:
 - Not Applicable

25. Welcome and apologies for absence

All working group experts attended the meeting i.e.: Panagiotis Milonas (Chair), Antoon Loomans, Andrea Lucchi, Roel Potting.

The Chair welcomed the participants.

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<http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/keydocs/docs/expertselection.pdf>.

26. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted.

27. Declarations of Interest of Working Groups members

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence²⁸ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management²⁹, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting. No Conflicts of Interest related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process, and no interests were declared orally by the members at the beginning of this meeting.

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence³⁰ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management³¹, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting.

28. Agreement of the minutes of the 11th Working Group meeting held on 04 November of 2020.

The minutes of the 11th Working Group meeting held on 04 November 2020 were agreed by e-mail by the WG experts the 09th of November 2020.

29. Hearing Expert (s)³²

Not applicable

²⁸ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

²⁹ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

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³¹ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

³² This item is optional

30. Scientific topic(s) for discussion

- Finalising the Scientific Opinion for the Dossier submitted by Honduras on *Momordica charantia* L. fruits (EFSA-Q-2020-00044);
- Drafting of Scientific Opinions for the Dossiers submitted by Mexico (EFSA-Q-2019-00792), Thailand (EFSA-Q-2019-00791), Sri Lanka (EFSA-Q-2019-00806) and Suriname (EFSA-Q-2019-00816) on *Momordica charantia* L. fruits.

31. Any Other Business

32. Next meeting(s)

- The group agreed on having a follow-up web-meeting on the 19th of November 2020 and again a web-meeting on the 07th of December 2020.

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON PLANT HEALTH

MINUTES OF THE 10th MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP ON HIGH RISK PLANTS (Momordica)

Held on 30 October 2020,

Web-meeting

(Agreed by e-mail on 09 November 2020)³³

Participants

- Working Group Members:³⁴
 - Panagiotis Milonas (Chair)
 - Antoon Loomans
 - Andrea Lucchi
 - Roel Potting
- Hearing Experts³⁵:
 - Not Applicable
- European Commission and/or Member States representatives:
 - Not Applicable
- EFSA:
 - ALPHA Unit: Eduardo de la Peña, scientific officer
 - ALPHA Unit: Oresteia Sfyra, trainee
- Others:
 - Not Applicable

33. Welcome and apologies for absence

All working group experts attended the meeting i.e.: Panagiotis Milonas (Chair), Antoon Loomans, Andrea Lucchi, Roel Potting.

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<http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/keydocs/docs/expertselection.pdf>.

The Chair welcomed the participants.

34. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted.

35. Declarations of Interest of Working Groups members

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence³⁶ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management³⁷, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting. No Conflicts of Interest related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process, and no interests were declared orally by the members at the beginning of this meeting.

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence³⁸ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management³⁹, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting.

36. Agreement of the minutes of the 10th Working Group meeting held on 30 October of 2020.

The minutes of the 10th Working Group meeting held on 30 October 2020 were agreed by e-mail by the WG experts the 09th of November 2020.

37. Hearing Expert (s)⁴⁰

Not applicable

³⁶ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

³⁷ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

³⁸ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

³⁹ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁴⁰ This item is optional

38. Scientific topic(s) for discussion

- Drafting of Scientific Opinion for the Dossier submitted by Honduras on *Momordica charantia* L. fruits (EFSA-Q-2020-00044)

39. Any Other Business

40. Next meeting(s)

- The group agreed on having a follow-up web-meeting on the 4th of November 2020 and again on the 19th of November 2020.

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON PLANT HEALTH

MINUTES OF THE 9th MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP ON HIGH RISK PLANTS (Momordica)

Held on 12 October 2020,

Web-meeting

(Agreed by e-mail on 16 October 2020)⁴¹

Participants

- Working Group Members:⁴²
Panagiotis Milonas (Chair)
Antoon Loomans
Andrea Lucchi
Roel Potting
- Hearing Experts⁴³:
Not Applicable
- European Commission and/or Member States representatives:
Not Applicable
- EFSA:
ALPHA Unit: Eduardo de la Peña, scientific officer
ALPHA Unit: Oresteia Sfyra, trainee
- Others:
Not Applicable

41. Welcome and apologies for absence

All working group experts attended the meeting i.e.: Panagiotis Milonas (Chair), Antoon Loomans, Andrea Lucchi, Roel Potting.

The Chair welcomed the participants.

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<http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/keydocs/docs/expertselection.pdf>.

42. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted.

43. Declarations of Interest of Working Groups members

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁴⁴ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁴⁵, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting. No Conflicts of Interest related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process, and no interests were declared orally by the members at the beginning of this meeting.

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁴⁶ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁴⁷, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting.

44. Agreement of the minutes of the 9th Working Group meeting held on 12 October of 2020.

The minutes of the 9th Working Group meeting held on 12 October 2020 were agreed by e-mail by the WG experts the 16th Of October 2020.

45. Hearing Expert (s)⁴⁸

Not applicable

⁴⁴ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁴⁵ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁴⁶ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁴⁷ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁴⁸ This item is optional

46. Scientific topic(s) for discussion

- Drafting of Scientific Opinion for the Dossier submitted by Honduras on *Momordica charantia* L. fruits (EFSA-Q-2020-00044)

47. Any Other Business

48. Next meeting(s)

- The group agreed on having a follow-up web-meeting on the 30th of October 2020 and again a web-meeting on the 4th of November.

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON PLANT HEALTH

MINUTES OF THE 8th MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP ON HIGH RISK PLANTS (Momordica)

Held on 24 September 2020,

Web-meeting

(Agreed by e-mail on 28 September 2020)⁴⁹

Participants

- Working Group Members:⁵⁰
Panagiotis Milonas (Chair)
Antoon Loomans
Andrea Lucchi
Roel Potting
- Hearing Experts⁵¹:
Not Applicable
- European Commission and/or Member States representatives:
Not Applicable
- EFSA:
ALPHA Unit: Eduardo de la Peña, scientific officer
AMU Unit: Olaf Mosbach-Schulz, scientific officer
- Others:
Not Applicable

49. Welcome and apologies for absence

All working group experts attended the meeting i.e.: Panagiotis Milonas (Chair), Antoon Loomans, Andrea Lucchi, Roel Potting.

The Chair welcomed the participants.

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<http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/keydocs/docs/expertselection.pdf>.

50. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted.

51. Declarations of Interest of Working Groups members

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁵² and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁵³, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting. No Conflicts of Interest related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process, and no interests were declared orally by the members at the beginning of this meeting.

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁵⁴ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁵⁵, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting.

52. Agreement of the minutes of the 8th Working Group meeting held on 24 September of 2020.

The minutes of the 8th Working Group meeting held on 24 September 2020 were agreed by e-mail by the WG experts the 28th of September 2020.

53. Hearing Expert (s)⁵⁶

Not applicable

⁵² http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁵³ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁵⁴ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁵⁵ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁵⁶ This item is optional

54. Scientific topic(s) for discussion

- Expert Knowledge Elicitation (EKE) on pest pressure and measures applied in the field for Suriname (EFSA-Q-2019-00816)
- Expert Knowledge Elicitation (EKE) on measures applied on packing house for each country: Honduras (EFSA-Q-2020-00044), Mexico (EFSA-Q-2019-00792), Thailand (EFSA-Q-2019-00791), Sri Lanka (EFSA-Q-2019-00806) and Suriname (EFSA-Q-2019-00816)

55. Any Other Business

56. Next meeting(s)

- The group agreed on having a follow-up web-meeting on 12th of October 2020 and again, a web-meeting on the 30th of October 2020.

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON PLANT HEALTH

MINUTES OF THE 7th MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP ON HIGH RISK PLANTS (Momordica)

Held on 11 September 2020,

Web-meeting

(Agreed by e-mail on 18 September 2020)⁵⁷

Participants

- Working Group Members:⁵⁸
 - Panagiotis Milonas (Chair)
 - Antoon Loomans
 - Andrea Lucchi
 - Roel Potting
- Hearing Experts⁵⁹:
 - Not Applicable
- European Commission and/or Member States representatives:
 - Not Applicable
- EFSA:
 - ALPHA Unit: Eduardo de la Peña, scientific officer
 - ALPHA Unit: Oresteia Sfyra, trainee
 - AMU Unit: Olaf Mosbach-Schulz, scientific officer
- Others:
 - Not Applicable

57. Welcome and apologies for absence

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<http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/keydocs/docs/expertselection.pdf>.

All working group experts attended the meeting i.e.: Panagiotis Milonas (Chair), Antoon Loomans, Andrea Lucchi, Roel Potting.

The Chair welcomed the participants.

58. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted.

59. Declarations of Interest of Working Groups members

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁶⁰ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁶¹, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting. No Conflicts of Interest related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process, and no interests were declared orally by the members at the beginning of this meeting.

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁶² and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁶³, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting.

60. Agreement of the minutes of the 7th Working Group meeting held on 11 September of 2020.

The minutes of the 7th Working Group meeting held on 11 September 2020 were agreed by e-mail by the WG experts the 18th of September 2020.

61. Hearing Expert (s)⁶⁴

Not applicable

⁶⁰ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁶¹ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁶² http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁶³ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁶⁴ This item is optional

62. Scientific topic(s) for discussion

- Evaluation of the efficacy of treatments against *Thrips palmi* for each country,
- Expert Knowledge Elicitation (EKE) on field pressure.

63. Any Other Business

64. Next meeting(s)

- The group agreed on having a follow-up web-meeting on 24 September 2020.

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON PLANT HEALTH

MINUTES OF THE 6th MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP ON HIGH RISK PLANTS (Momordica)

Held on 3 & 4 September 2020,

Web-meeting

(Agreed by e-mail on 8 September 2020)⁶⁵

Participants

- Working Group Members:⁶⁶
 - Panagiotis Milonas (Chair)
 - Antoon Loomans
 - Andrea Lucchi
 - Roel Potting

- Hearing Experts⁶⁷:
 - Not Applicable

- European Commission and/or Member States representatives:
 - Not Applicable

- EFSA:
 - ALPHA Unit: Eduardo de la Peña, scientific officer
 - ALPHA Unit: Oresteia Sfyra, trainee
 - AMU Unit: Olaf Mosbach-Schulz, scientific officer

- Others:
 - Not Applicable

65. Welcome and apologies for absence

All working group experts attended the meeting i.e.: Panagiotis Milonas (Chair), Antoon Loomans, Andrea Lucchi, Roel Potting.

The Chair welcomed the participants.

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66. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted.

67. Declarations of Interest of Working Groups members

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁶⁸ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁶⁹, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting. No Conflicts of Interest related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process, and no interests were declared orally by the members at the beginning of this meeting.

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁷⁰ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁷¹, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting.

68. Agreement of the minutes of the 6th Working Group meeting held on 3 & 4 September of 2020.

The minutes of the 6th Working Group meeting held on 3 & 4 September 2020 were agreed by e-mail by the WG experts the 8th of September 2020.

69. Hearing Expert (s)⁷²

Not applicable

⁶⁸ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁶⁹ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁷⁰ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁷¹ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁷² This item is optional

70. Scientific topic(s) for discussion

- Expert Knowledge Elicitation (EKE) on pest pressure,
- Discussion on Risk Reduction Options (RROs) of each country.

71. Any Other Business

72. Next meeting(s)

- The group agreed on having a follow-up web-meeting on 11 September 2020.

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON PLANT HEALTH

MINUTES OF THE 5th MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP ON HIGH RISK PLANTS (Momordica)

Held on 26 and 27 August 2020,

Web-meeting

(Agreed by e-mail on 31 August 2020)⁷³

Participants

- Working Group Members:⁷⁴
 - Panagiotis Milonas (Chair)
 - Antoon Loomans
 - Andrea Lucchi
 - Roel Potting

- Hearing Experts⁷⁵:
 - Not Applicable

- European Commission and/or Member States representatives:
 - Not Applicable

- EFSA:
 - ALPHA Unit: Eduardo de la Peña, scientific officer
 - ALPHA Unit: Oresteia Sfyra, trainee
 - AMU Unit: Olaf Mosbach-Schulz, scientific officer

- Others:
 - Not Applicable

73. Welcome and apologies for absence

All working group experts attended the meeting i.e.: Panagiotis Milonas (Chair), Antoon Loomans, Andrea Lucchi, Roel Potting.

The Chair welcomed the participants.

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⁷⁴ Indicate first full name and then surname (John Smith) all throughout the document.

⁷⁵ As defined in Article 17 of the Decision of the Executive Director concerning the selection of members of the Scientific Committee, the Scientific Panels, and the selection of external experts to assist EFSA with its scientific work:
<http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/keydocs/docs/expertselection.pdf>.

74. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted.

75. Declarations of Interest of Working Groups members

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁷⁶ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁷⁷, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting. No Conflicts of Interest related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process, and no interests were declared orally by the members at the beginning of this meeting.

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁷⁸ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁷⁹, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting.

76. Agreement of the minutes of the 5th Working Group meeting held on 26 & 27 August of 2020.

The minutes of the 5th Working Group meeting held on 26 and 27 August 2020 were agreed by e-mail by the WG experts the 31st of August 2020.

77. Hearing Expert (s)⁸⁰

Not applicable

⁷⁶ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁷⁷ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁷⁸ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁷⁹ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁸⁰ This item is optional

78. Scientific topic(s) for discussion

- Evaluation of additional information submitted by Honduras (EFSA-Q-2020-00044) and Mexico (EFSA-Q-2019-00792)
- Revision of the draft pest-sheets for Thailand (EFSA-Q-2019-00791), Sri Lanka (EFSA-Q-2019-00806) and Suriname (EFSA-Q-2019-00816)
- Technical discussion in preparation for the Expert Knowledge Elicitation (EKE)

79. Any Other Business

80. Next meeting(s)

- The group agreed on having a follow-up web-meeting on 3 and 4 September 2020.

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON PLANT HEALTH

MINUTES OF THE 4th MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP ON HIGH RISK PLANTS (Momordica)

Held on 15 July 2020,

Web-meeting

(Agreed by e-mail on 16 July 2020)⁸¹

Participants

- Working Group Members:⁸²
 - Panagiotis Milonas (Chair)
 - Antoon Loomans
 - Andrea Lucchi
 - Roel Potting

- Hearing Experts⁸³:
 - Not Applicable

- European Commission and/or Member States representatives:
 - Not Applicable

- EFSA:
 - ALPHA Unit: Eduardo de la Peña, scientific officer
 - ALPHA Unit: Oresteia Sfyra, trainee

- Others:
 - Not Applicable

81. Welcome and apologies for absence

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⁸³ As defined in Article 17 of the Decision of the Executive Director concerning the selection of members of the Scientific Committee, the Scientific Panels, and the selection of external experts to assist EFSA with its scientific work:
<http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/keydocs/docs/expertselection.pdf>.

All working group experts attended the meeting i.e.: Panagiotis Milonas (Chair), Antoon Loomans, Andrea Lucchi, Roel Potting.

The Chair welcomed the participants.

82. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted.

83. Declarations of Interest of Working Groups members

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁸⁴ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁸⁵, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting. No Conflicts of Interest related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process, and no interests were declared orally by the members at the beginning of this meeting.

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁸⁶ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁸⁷, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting.

84. Agreement of the minutes of the 4th Working Group meeting held on 15 July of 2020.

The minutes of the 4th Working Group meeting held on 15 July 2020 were agreed by e-mail by the WG experts the 16th of July 2020.

85. Hearing Expert (s)⁸⁸

Not applicable

⁸⁴ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁸⁵ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁸⁶ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁸⁷ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁸⁸ This item is optional

86. Scientific topic(s) for discussion

- Evaluation of additional information submitted by the third countries (Sri Lanka, Suriname and Thailand)
- Discussion on the content of the pest-sheets for the Scientific Opinion.

87. Any Other Business

88. Next meeting(s)

- The group agreed on having a follow-up web-meeting on 26 and 27 August 2020.

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON PLANT HEALTH

MINUTES OF THE 3rd MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP ON HIGH RISK PLANTS (Momordica)

Held on 03 July 2020,

Web-meeting

(Agreed by e-mail on 09 July 2020)⁸⁹

Participants

- Working Group Members:⁹⁰
 - Panagiotis Milonas (Chair)
 - Antoon Loomans
 - Andrea Lucchi
 - Roel Potting
- Hearing Experts⁹¹:
 - Not Applicable
- European Commission and/or Member States representatives:
 - Not Applicable
- EFSA:
 - ALPHA Unit: Eduardo de la Peña, scientific officer
 - ALPHA Unit: Oresteia Sfyra, trainee
- Others:
 - Not Applicable

89. Welcome and apologies for absence

All working group experts attended the meeting i.e.: Panagiotis Milonas (Chair), Antoon Loomans, Andrea Lucchi, Roel Potting.

The Chair welcomed the participants.

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<http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/keydocs/docs/expertselection.pdf>.

90. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted.

91. Declarations of Interest of Working Groups members

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁹² and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁹³, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting. No Conflicts of Interest related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process, and no interests were declared orally by the members at the beginning of this meeting.

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence⁹⁴ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management⁹⁵, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting.

92. Agreement of the minutes of the 3rd Working Group meeting held on 03 July of 2020.

The minutes of the 3rd Working Group meeting held on 03 July 2020 were agreed by e-mail by the WG experts the 09th of July 2020.

93. Hearing Expert (s)⁹⁶

Not applicable

⁹² http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁹³ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁹⁴ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

⁹⁵ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

⁹⁶ This item is optional

94. Scientific topic(s) for discussion

- Review and discussion on the template of the Scientific Opinion Agreement on the structure and the content of pest-sheets
- Literature review for pest-sheets.

95. Any Other Business

96. Next meeting(s)

- The group agreed on having a follow-up web-meeting on 15 July 2020.

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON PLANT HEALTH

MINUTES OF THE 2nd MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP ON HIGH RISK PLANTS (Momordica)

Held on 13 May 2020,

Web-meeting

(Agreed by e-mail on 15 May 2020)⁹⁷

Participants

- Working Group Members:⁹⁸
 - Panagiotis Milonas (Chair)
 - Antoon Loomans
 - Andrea Lucchi
 - Roel Potting
- Hearing Experts⁹⁹:
 - Not Applicable
- European Commission and/or Member States representatives:
 - Not Applicable
- EFSA:
 - ALPHA Unit: Eduardo de la Peña, scientific officer
 - ALPHA Unit: Oresteia Sfyra, trainee
- Others:
 - Not Applicable

97. Welcome and apologies for absence

All working group experts attended the meeting i.e.: Panagiotis Milonas (Chair), Antoon Loomans, Andrea Lucchi, Roel Potting.

The Chair welcomed the participants.

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<http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/keydocs/docs/expertselection.pdf>.

98. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted.

99. Declarations of Interest of Working Groups members

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence¹⁰⁰ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management¹⁰¹, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting. No Conflicts of Interest related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process, and no interests were declared orally by the members at the beginning of this meeting.

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence¹⁰² and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management¹⁰³, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting.

100. Agreement of the minutes of the 2nd Working Group meeting held on 13 May of 2020.

The minutes of the 2nd Working Group meeting held on 13 May 2020 were agreed by e-mail by the WG experts the 15th of May 2020.

101. Hearing Expert (s)¹⁰⁴

Not applicable

¹⁰⁰ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

¹⁰¹ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

¹⁰² http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

¹⁰³ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

¹⁰⁴ This item is optional

102. Scientific topic(s) for discussion

- Initial assessment of dossiers (Mexico, Honduras, Suriname),
The WG decided that for certain points mentioned in the dossiers, clarifications are required to be provided by the applicant countries.

103. Any Other Business

104. Next meeting(s)

- The group agreed on having a follow-up web-meeting on 03 July 2020 and again, a web-meeting on 15 July 2020.

SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON PLANT HEALTH

MINUTES OF THE 1st MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP ON HIGH RISK PLANTS (Momordica)

Held on 27 April 2020,

Web-meeting

(Agreed by e-mail on 08 May 2020)¹⁰⁵

Participants

- Working Group Members:¹⁰⁶
 - Panagiotis Milonas (Chair)
 - Antoon Loomans
 - Andrea Lucchi
 - Roel Potting
- Hearing Experts¹⁰⁷:
 - Not Applicable
- European Commission and/or Member States representatives:
 - Not Applicable
- EFSA:
 - ALPHA Unit: Eduardo de la Peña, scientific officer
 - ALPHA Unit: Oresteia Sfyra, trainee
- Others:
 - Not Applicable

105. Welcome and apologies for absence

All working group experts attended the meeting i.e.: Panagiotis Milonas (Chair), Antoon Loomans, Andrea Lucchi, Roel Potting.

The Chair welcomed the participants.

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<http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/keydocs/docs/expertselection.pdf>.

106. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted.

107. Declarations of Interest of Working Groups members

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence¹⁰⁸ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management¹⁰⁹, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting. No Conflicts of Interest related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process, and no interests were declared orally by the members at the beginning of this meeting.

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence¹¹⁰ and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management¹¹¹, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Working Group members invited to the present meeting.

108. Agreement of the minutes of the 1st Working Group meeting held on 27 April of 2020.

The minutes of the 1st Working Group meeting held on 27 April 2020 were agreed by e-mail by the WG experts the 08th of May 2020.

109. Hearing Expert (s)¹¹²

Not applicable

¹⁰⁸ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

¹⁰⁹ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

¹¹⁰ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/policy_independence.pdf

¹¹¹ http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/corporate_publications/files/competing_interest_management_17.pdf

¹¹² This item is optional

110. Scientific topic(s) for discussion

- Introduction to mandate (High Risk Plants/*Momordica* spp.)
- Overview of dossiers
- Initial assessment of dossiers (Thailand, Sri Lanka)

111. Any Other Business

112. Next meeting(s)

- The group agreed on having a follow-up web-meeting on 13 May 2020 and again, a web-meeting on 4 June 2020.