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## AGENDA

### Workshop on the

### Revised Risk Assessment Guidelines for the General Product Safety Directive 2001/95/EC

Hotel Renaissance  
Rue du Parnasse 19  
B-1050 Brussels

11 December 2007, 10:00 – 17:00

9.30 – 10.00	Registration of participants and coffee
<b>10.00 – 17.00</b>	<b>Workshop</b> chaired by Stefano Soro, Head of Unit, DG Health and Consumer Protection, European Commission
10.00 – 10.15	<b>Welcome by the chair:</b> Scope, background and objectives of the event
10.15 – 10.30	<b>Keynote address</b> - Agne Pantelouri, Director, DG Health and Consumer Protection, European Commission
10.30 – 11.00	<b>The new risk assessment Guidelines</b> – Chris van der Cruyssen, FPS Economy, Small and Medium Enterprises, Middle Classes and Energy, DG Quality and Safety, Brussels, Belgium
11.00 – 11.30	<b>Risk assessment of physical and chemical hazards – A similar approach</b> — Alexandre Zenié, Joint Research Centre, European Commission
11.30 – 11.45	<b>Coffee Break</b>
11.45 – 12.10	<b>Related risk assessment activities in the EU and internationally</b> – Dirk van Aken, Food and Consumer Product Safety Authority, Office for Risk Assessment, The Hague, Netherlands
12.10 – 12.30	<b>The industry perspective: Managing Risk in the Supply Chain</b> — Ian Dalgetty, Bureau Veritas Consumer Products Services, Manchester, United Kingdom
12.30 – 12.45	<b>Questions and answers</b>
12.45 – 14.15	<b>LUNCH</b>

<b>14.15 – 16.45</b>	<b>Afternoon session: Practical exercise and conclusions</b>
14.15 – 14.30	<b>Practical exercise – 3 breakout groups</b>
14.30 – 15.30	<p><b>Exercise</b></p> <p>Tutors:</p> <p>Chris van der Cruyssen  Matthias Honnacker, BAuA - Federal Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, Dortmund, Germany  Janez Novak, Market Inspectorate of the Republic of Slovenia, Ljubljana  Peter Hammer Sørensen, Danish Environmental Protection Agency, Copenhagen, Denmark  Dirk van Aken  Konstantinos Zisis, Ministry of Development, Directorate of Technical Control, Athens, Greece</p>
15.30 – 16.00	<b>Coffee Break</b>
16.00 – 16.45	<b>Reporting of the results of the exercise – Tutors' feedback</b>
16.45 – 16.55	<b>Conclusions – Stig Håkansson, Swedish Consumer Agency</b>
16.55 – 17.00	<b>Closure - Stefano Soro</b>