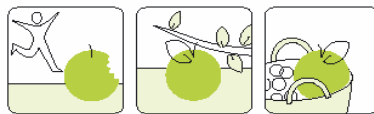




EUROPEAN COMMISSION
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Workshop
CASTRATION OF PIGLETS
Reflections towards alternatives:
Scientific and socio-economical aspects

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AGENDA

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| 10.15 | Introduction | |
| | European Commission | Andrea Gavinelli |
| 10.30 | Presentation of the EFSA opinion | Michael Gunn |
| 10.50 | Castration with anaesthesia | Bente Frederiksen |
| 11.10 | Genetic selection to prevent board taint in boars | Olena Doran |
| | Reduction of boar taint by proteomics | Dick van de Wiel |
| 11.30 | BREAK | |
| 11.40 | Immuno-castration and other non surgical methods | Rico Thun |
| 12.00 | Detection of board taint at the slaughterline | Jan Merks |
| 12.20 | Debate | |
| 13.00 | LUNCH BREAK | |
| 14.30 | Problem identification by stakeholders opinion | |
| | Eurogroup | Dil Peeling |
| | Eurocommerce | Marc Jensen |
| | CIWF | Peter Stevenson |
| | UECBV | Knut Framstad |
| | | Fernando Pascual |
| | CLITRAVI | Mike Wijnberg |
| | COPA-COGECA | Antonio Tavares |
| | | Orla Gron Pedersen |
| | | Vincent Cordonnier |
| 15.30 | Economic aspects of different scenarios | Willy Baltussen |
| 15.50 | BREAK | |
| 16.20 | Group discussion | |
| 16.30 | Working towards solutions: PIGCAS | Michel Bonneau |
| 16.50 | Conclusion | Andrea Gavinelli |

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