

#### **EUROPEAN COMMISSION**

HEALTH & CONSUMER PROTECTION DIRECTORATE-GENERAL

Directorate C - Public Health and Risk Assessment C7 - Risk assessment

# 20<sup>th</sup> plenary meeting of the

### Scientific Committee on Health and Environmental Risks (SCHER)

## Meeting date: 29 November 2007 starting at 10.00

### Rue Froissart 101 room 02/169 – Bruxelles

## Draft agenda

- 1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES
- 2. ADOPTION OF THE DRAFT AGENDA
- 3. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS ON MATTERS ON THE AGENDA
- 4. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS PLENARY MEETING
- 5. CHAIR'S REPORT
- 6. ONGOING REQUESTS ON REGULATION 793/93 EXISTING SUBSTANCES: (HUMAN HEALTH AND/OR ENVIRONMENT) DG JRC/DG ENV
  - **6.1.** Zinc and its compounds (ENV)
  - **6.2.** 2,2-bis(chloromethyl) trimethylene bis(bis(2-chloroethyl) phosphate) (V6-CAS 38051-10-4; ENV)
  - **6.3.** Tris [2-chloro-1-(chloromethyl) ethyl] phosphate (TDCP; CAS 13674-87-8; ENV)
  - **6.4.** 2-furaldehyde (CAS 98-01-1; ENV)
  - **6.5.** 2,2',6,6'-tetrabromo-4,4'-isopropylidenediphenol (tetrabromobisphenol-A) (CAS 79-94-7; ENV)
  - **6.6.** Alkanes, C14-1, chloro (MCCP; CAS 85535-85-9; HH)
  - **6.7.** N-Cyclohexylbenzothiazol-2-sulphenamide (CBS; CAS 95-33-0; HH)

## 7. ONGOING REQUESTS FOR OPINIONS BY COMMISSION SERVICES ON:

- **7.1.** Environmental impact and effect on antimicrobial resistance of four substances used for the removal of microbial surface contamination of poultry carcasses DG SANCO
- **7.2.** Risk assessment methodologies and approaches for mutagenic and carcinogenic substances DG SANCO
- **7.3.** Model implementation and quantification of the eutrophication risk associated to the use of phosphates in detergents DG ENTR
- **7.4.** Environmental risks and indirect health effects of mercury in dental amalgam DG ENV
- 8. PARTICIPATION OF THE SCHER IN ACTIVITIES/WORKING GROUPS OF OTHER SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEES
- 9. EMERGING ISSUES
- 10. NEXT PLENARY MEETING
- 11. ANY OTHER BUSINESS