



**SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE ON TOXICITY, ECOTOXICITY AND THE ENVIRONMENT (CSTEE)  
42<sup>ND</sup> PLENARY MEETING**

*4 March 2004, starting at 10h00  
CCAB, Rue Froissart, 36  
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**DRAFT AGENDA**

- (1) Welcoming address, apologies for absence, declarations of interest
- (2) Adoption of the draft agenda
- (3) Approval of the draft minutes of the 41<sup>st</sup> CSTEE plenary meeting
- (4) Update on the renewal of the DG SANCO Scientific Committees
- (5) Regulation 793/93 Regulation 793/93 on Existing substances (ESR): Status reports/opinions (Human Health and/or Environment)
  - (a) *MDI* (ENV) – for adoption
  - (b) *Cadmium oxide/metal* (ENV) – for adoption
  - (c) TRAR on *Cadmium oxide* in batteries – for adoption
  - (d) *Perboric acid, sodium salt* (HH) – for adoption
  - (e) *Piperazine* (HH) – for discussion
  - (f) *Piperazine* (ENV) – for discussion
- (6) Ongoing requests for opinion from the CSTEE by Commission services on:
  - (a) Review of complementary new data on *organostannic compounds*
  - (b) Assessment of the overall risk posed by *organostannic compounds*
  - (c) CEN Report on *method development for organic chemicals in toys*
  - (d) *Release of heavy metals and other elements in toys* - Current limit values and test methods
  - (e) Risks associated with the release of *MBT* from natural rubber soothers, teats and consumer products
- (7) Emerging issues identified and for which the CSTEE is the leading committee:
  - (a) Call for tender – Meta-analysis on *temporal changes of sperm quality*
  - (b) Relevant issues for the future scientific committees

- (8) Participation of the CSTEE in activities/working groups of other Scientific Committees of the Commission or EFSA
- (9) Next plenary meeting of the CSTEE?
- (10) Any other business