



Scientific Committee on Consumer Safety (SCCS)

WG on 'Nanomaterials in Cosmetic Products'

Venue: Luxembourg

Meeting date: 31 May 2013

Minutes

1. Welcome and apologies

Two apologies were announced by the Chair.

2. Adoption of the agenda

The agenda was adopted as it was presented.

3. Declaration of interest on matters on the agenda

One of the members will not participate in discussion regarding one of the submitted file since this member took part to a research project funded by a private company that could lead to a perception of potential risk of conflict of interest.

4. Information from chairman/members

Two new members were invited to participate in this WG (cf. call for experts). The Chair informed them about the working process of the SCCS putting emphasis on the importance of declaring any potential conflict of interest.

5. S75, TiO₂ (nano form) draft opinion

– SCCS/1516/13

The draft opinion was discussed close to finalisation. The opinion is foreseen to be adopted at the next plenary meeting (18/6).

6. Carbon Black (nano form), draft opinion

– SCCS/1515/13

The discussion was postponed to the next meeting due to priority files and lack of time.

7. New mandate - > ZnO revision (nano form)

The mandate was presented and a rapporteur appointed. It was agreed to present an addendum to the previous opinion (SCCS/1489/12).

8. Comments on opinions from Plenary in 2013

S79

2,2-METHYLENE-BIS-(6(2H-BENZOTRIAZOL-2-YL)-4-(1,1,3,3-TETRAMETHYLBUTYL)PHENOL) - SCCS/1443/11

The text and conclusion will be clarified and the applicant will be informed accordingly following the plenary adoption.

9. Criteria to identify nanomaterials of concern, progress report

The document was discussed close to finalisation. It is foreseen to be adopted at the next plenary meeting (18/6).

10. Commission proposal for grouping 'nano submissions' to come to SCCS from July 2013

A Commission presentation was made in order to check the status of the notifications made and the possible way to group them prior to submission to the SCCS. It will be further discussed at the plenary meeting.

11. Any other business

Next meetings are foreseen on 05 July and 05 September 2013.