

## SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE ON CONSUMER SAFETY (SCCS)

### **Request for a scientific opinion: HC Blue 17 CAS n.16517-75-2 (C184) Submission I**

#### **1. Background**

The hair dyeing ingredient HC Blue 17 CAS n.16517-75-2 (C184) is an ingredient, which is newly introduced on the EU market. The responsible company is submitting a safety dossier for review by the Scientific Committee on Consumer Safety.

Industry requests use of this ingredient in oxidative and non-oxidative colouring products with a concentration on head of maximum of 2.0 %.

Submission I, which has been received in September 2011, presents the scientific data on the above mentioned substance.

#### **2. Terms of reference**

- 1. Does the SCCS consider HC Blue 17 safe for use as an oxidative and non-oxidative hair dye with a concentration on-head of maximum 2.0 % taken into account the scientific data provided?*
- 2. And/or does the SCCS recommend any further restrictions with regard to the use of HC Blue 17 in any hair dye formulations?*