SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE ON CONSUMER SAFETY (SCCS)

Request for a scientific opinion:

Submission I on hair dye HC Blue 18 (Colipa No B122) CAS No. 1166834-57-6.

1. Background

Submission I on hair dye HC Blue 18 (Colipa No B122) CAS No. 1166834-57-6 with the chemical name 3-[(E)-(3-chloro-4-hydroxyphenyl)diazenyl]-2,1-benzisothiazole-5- sulfonamide was transmitted by Cosmetics Europe in June 2014.

The new ingredient HC Blue 18 (B122) is a non-reactive dye used as a direct hair colouring agent at on-head concentration up to 0.35% in non-oxidative as well as in oxidative hair dye formulations.

2. Terms of reference

- (1) In light of the data provided, does the SCCS consider HC Blue 18 (B122) safe when used as a direct hair colouring agent at on-head concentration up to 0.35% in non-oxidative as well as in oxidative hair dye formulations?
- (2) Does the SCCS have any further scientific concerns with regard to the use of HC Blue 18 (B122) in cosmetic products?

3. Deadline:

4. Supporting documents:

- 1. Submission I on HC Blue 18 (Colipa No B122) Cosmetics Europe. June 2014
- 2. Folder Zip "Reference"

Annex

Submission summary