Inaugural Meeting of
Scientific Committee on Consumer Safety (SCCS), and
Scientific Committee on Health, Environmental and Emerging Risks (SCHEER)

Thursday 28 April 2016

AGENDA

12:00 -13:00 Registration

13:00-13:30 Welcome to the Committees' members

• By Mr Xavier Prats Monné, Director General Health and Food Safety - European Commission
• By Dr Jean-Claude Schmit, Director of Health, Ministry of Health, Luxembourg


13:50-14:10 Donata Meroni, Deputy Head of Unit SANTE C2 – Scientific Committees' past and current activities and future challenges

14:10-14:30 Prof Henrik Wegener, Chair of SAM High level Group: Scientific Advise Mechanism and interaction with Scientific Committees

14:30-14:50 Mr Jukka Malm, ECHA Deputy Executive Director: Interaction among EU risk assessment bodies: synergies and complementarities

14:50-15:20 Coffee break

15:20-15:40 Mr Hubert Deluyker, EFSA Scientific Adviser: More robust risk assessment: weighing of evidence, assessing uncertainties

15:40 -16:00 Mr Carlo Pettinelli, Director for Consumer, Environmental and Health Technologies GROW
Scientific Committees at the service of the Commission: the impact of their Opinions

16:00 -16:30 Questions/answers session

16.30 -16.45 Closure
by Mrs Lydia Mutsch, Minister of Health – Luxembourg
FRIDAY  29 APRIL 2016

JOINT PLENARY MEETING

9:30       Opening by the Commission
9:35-9:50  Result of the second evaluation on the Scientific Committees
9:50: 10:15 Adoption of the Rules of Procedure
10:15-10.30 Independence, Interest & confidentiality
10:30-11:00 Administrative information:
    • reimbursement/procedures
    • Secretariat work & tasks/ platform for exchange of document
11:00-11:15 Communication: dissemination activities and website
                 Coffee break

Work in SCCS and SCHEER plenaries

11:30-13:00 Election of the Chair and vice-chairs of the Committee

13:00-13:30 Lunch break

13:00- 16:30 Continuation plenary meetings chaired by the respective elected Chair

    • Information points from Commission
    • Designation of the Chairs of the working groups
    • Mandates to be adopted
    • Opinion to be adopted
    • Opinion on going
    • Dates for next meetings including plenaries
    • AOB

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