



# Register of Commission expert groups and other similar entities

## Commission Expert Group

**Name:** Expert Group on Alternative Approaches to Animal Testing - Mirror Group (E02026)  
(Active - Group which operates on a permanent basis)

**Abbreviation:** EPAA Mirror Group

**Policy Area:** Enterprise

**Lead DG:** GROW - DG Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs

**Associated DG:** ENV - DG Environment  
JRC - Joint Research Centre  
RTD - DG Research and Innovation  
SANTE - DG Health and Food Safety

**Type:** Informal, Temporary

**Scope:** Limited

**Mission:** The group advises the European Partnership on Alternative Approaches to Animal Testing (EPAA), which is composed of various Commission DGs and industry on priorities and action programme. Members of the Mirror Group reflect views of animal welfare groups, academia, laboratoria and patients.

**Task:** Other  
provide outside critical feedback and advise to EPAA

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**Publication in RegExp:** 21 May 2007

**Link to Website:** [http://ec.europa.eu/growth/sectors/chemicals/epaa\\_en](http://ec.europa.eu/growth/sectors/chemicals/epaa_en)

**Last updated:** 11 Oct 2017

## **Additional Information**

### **Activity Report**

Minutes of the Joint EPAA Steering Committee and Mirror Group Meeting - 22 September 2017

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### **Activity Report**

Minutes of the Joint EPAA Steering Committee and Mirror Group Meeting - 01 June 2017

[Document 1](#)

(approx. 51 kb)

### **Activity Report**

Minutes of the Joint EPAA Steering Committee and Mirror Group Meeting - 28 February 2017

[Document 1](#)

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[Document 2](#)

(approx. 77 kb)

### **Activity Report**

Minutes of the Joint EPAA Steering Committee and Mirror Group Meeting - 29 September 2016

[Document 1](#)

(approx. 82 kb)

### **Activity Report**

All information on workshops, events and conferences can be found here:

[http://ec.europa.eu/growth/sectors/chemicals/epaa\\_en](http://ec.europa.eu/growth/sectors/chemicals/epaa_en)

### **Selection Procedure (members)**

Members of the Mirror Group are designated by Commission services and Industry, cooperating in the European Partnership for Alternative Approaches to Animal Testing (EPAA). They are designated to reflect the views of animal welfare organisations, academia, laboratoria and other stakeholders on alternatives to animal testing.

[http://ec.europa.eu/growth/sectors/chemicals/epaa\\_en](http://ec.europa.eu/growth/sectors/chemicals/epaa_en)

### **Internal Rules of Procedure**

Expert groups usually operate in an informal setting without any formal rules of procedures. This is the case for this group

### **Internal Rules of Procedure**

See link EPAA Governance

[http://ec.europa.eu/growth/sectors/chemicals/epaa\\_en](http://ec.europa.eu/growth/sectors/chemicals/epaa_en)

### **Other**

EPAA promotes alternatives to animal testing in meeting regulatory requirements of EU legislation relating to chemicals, pharmaceuticals, cosmetics, detergents, plant protection products, etc.

## Members

### Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity

Name	Nationality	Professional Title	Membership Status
Coenradus Hendriksen	Netherlands	Prof.	Member
Emily McIvor	United Kingdom		Member
Horst Spielmann	Germany	Prof. Dr.	Member
Kirsty Reid	United Kingdom		Member
María Belén Pintado Sanjuanbenito	Spain	Dr.	Member
Massenzio Fornasier	Italy	Dr.	Member
Michael Sullivan	United Kingdom	Dr.	Member
Nick Meade	United Kingdom	Dr.	Member
Tuula Heinonen	Finland	Dr.	Member
Vera Rogiers	Belgium	Prof.	Member

### Subgroups

No Subgroups assigned to this group.

## Statistics

### Number of Members: 10

Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	10	female: 5	male: 5
Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type C - Organisation:	0		
Type D - Member State Authority:	0		

### Number of Alternate Members: 0

Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type C - Organisation:	0		
Type D - Member State Authority:	0		

### Number of Observers: 0

Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type C - Organisation:	0		
Type D - Member State Authority:	0		