
This proposal aims at setting a Community target for the reduction of *Salmonella enteritidis* and *typhimurium* in flocks of laying hens based on the information obtained during a baseline study. It includes provisions for the use of alternative analysis methods and storage of samples. It was discussed during the working group session in the morning. The Member States had a lot of divergent requests and they consulted their authorities at lunch time. On basis of the comments made earlier that day the Commission presented an amended proposal in the afternoon SCFCAH meeting.

**Vote: in favour by qualified majority, 29 votes abstaining, Malta absent and represented by the United Kingdom**


This draft regulation aims at extending the conditions for the use of antimicrobials and vaccines to national programmes for control of salmonella in all poultry. It was discussed during the working group meeting in the morning. No further remark was made in the afternoon SCFCAH meeting and the chairman proceeded directly to the vote.

**Vote: in favour by qualified majority, 29 votes abstaining, Malta absent and represented by the United Kingdom**