STANDING COMMITTEE
ON THE FOOD CHAIN AND ANIMAL HEALTH

SECTION ON TOXICOLOGICAL SAFETY
OF THE FOOD CHAIN

AGENDA OF THE 3rd MEETING – OCTOBER 3rd 2002

Approval of the Agenda.

1. Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons in Food
   1(a) Update on activities
   1(b) Presentation of the main findings of the first three FVO reports on PAH contamination in vegetable oils

2. Import controls
   Presentation of the main findings of the first two FVO reports on import controls of products of plant origin. In particular the controls of Mycotoxins, 3-MCPD and Irradiated Foodstuffs

3. Acrylamide in food
   Update on activities

4. Exchange of views and possible opinion on a Draft Commission Directive amending Directive 96/5/EC on processed cereal-based foods and baby foods for infants and young children


6. Discussion and possible intention of vote in view of the notification to the World Trade Organisation on a :
   6 a) Draft Commission Regulation (EC) amending Regulation (EC) No 466/2001 setting maximum levels for certain contaminants in foodstuffs (patulin)
6 b) Draft Commission Directive laying down the sampling methods and the methods of analysis for the official control of the levels of patulin in foodstuffs

7. Discussion and consultation of the Committee in view of the notification to the World Trade Organisation on a :

Draft Commission Recommendation on the reduction of patulin contamination in apple juice and apple juice ingredients in other beverages

8. Discussion and consultation of the Committee on a :

Draft Commission Decision amending Decision 2000/49/EC repealing Decision 1999/356/EC and imposing special conditions on the import of peanuts and certain products derived from peanuts originating in or consigned from Egypt