WG on Cosmetic Ingredients

1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES

The Chair welcomed the participants. One apology was announced by the Chair.

2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

The agenda was adopted as it was presented.

3. DECLARATION OF INTEREST ON MATTERS ON THE AGENDA

The Chair requested participants to declare any conflict of interest regarding matters on the agenda. None of the participants declared any conflict of interest.

4. INFORMATION FROM CHAIRMAN/MEMBERS/COMMISSION

- The Secretariat informed the members about a bilateral meeting held with the Secretariat of the Scientific Committee on Occupational Exposure Limits (SCOEL) to exchange information: the topic of common methodology approach between Scientific Committees and SCOEL is planned to be put on the agenda of the next ICCG\(^1\) meeting on 16 November, together with the participation of SCOEL colleagues.

- On 15 June 2016 was held the Cosmetics Europe’s Annual Meeting in Brussels: the new Committees and the revised SCCS Notes of Guidance for the testing of cosmetic ingredients and their safety evaluation were made by the Secretariat. The outcome of the week event will be made available soon on the website of Cosmetic’s Europe.


\(^1\) The Coordination Group (ICCG) is composed of the chairs and vice-chairs of the two Scientific Committees (SCCS and SCHEER)

• On 15 June, the Commission endorsed two draft acts containing the scientific criteria to identify endocrine disruptors (EDs): one draft delegated act is under the Biocidal Products Regulation; and one draft Commission Regulation is under the Plant Protection Products Regulation, to be adopted in accordance with the regulatory procedure with scrutiny. The Commission also adopted a communication on endocrine disruptors, accompanied by a thorough impact assessment. All these documents are publicly available at the following webpage: http://ec.europa.eu/health/endocrine_disruptors/policy/index_en.htm

5. NEW MANDATES

No new mandate was adopted.

The following draft mandates were presented by DG GROW:
- Zinc salts in oral hygiene
- Submission III data of Propylamino biguanide (PHMB)

6. DRAFT OPINIONS DISCUSSED

• **Preservative Hydroxyethoxyphenyl Butanone - P98**
  The draft opinion was discussed and is planned to be further discussed at the next working group meeting (24/08). A clarification request has been sent to the applicant.

• **Hair Dyes B125 HC Orange N°6 – Submission I**
  The first draft opinion was discussed and is planned to be further discussed at the next working group meeting (24/08).

7. COMMENTS ON OPINIONS ON

• **D5-Cyclopentasiloxane – SCCS/1549/15:**
  The last SCCS responses to comments received were discussed and finalised. They will go through the written process for adoption before being sent out. The revised opinion, slightly changed, will also go through the same process of adoption prior to publication.

• **Vitamin A**
  The comments received were presented and the tasks to help the rapporteur were distributed among members. The draft SCCS responses are planned to be further discussed at the next working group meeting (24/08).

• **Phenoxyethanol**
  The comments received were presented and the tasks to help the rapporteur were distributed among members.
The draft SCCS responses are planned to be further discussed at the next working group meeting (24/08).

- **HAIR DYE C183**
  The comments received were presented. A clarification request has been sent to the applicant. The draft SCCS responses are planned to be further discussed at the next working group meeting (24/08).

- **HAIR DYESTAIN N,N’-BIS-(2-HYDROXYETHYL)-2-NITRO-P-PHENYLENEDIAMINE (B34)**
  The comments received were presented. The draft SCCS responses are planned to be further discussed at the next working group meeting (24/08).

**8. COMMENTS ON FUTURE TOPICS TO BE DISCUSSED AT METHODOLOGY WORKING GROUP**

- A comment received on the SCCS Notes of Guidance for the testing of cosmetic ingredients and their safety evaluation was presented and the SCCS response discussed among members. It will go through the written process for adoption before being sent out.
- The group discussed future topics and the items to be kept in mind for next update of this SCCS Notes of Guidance. Next meeting foreseen on 5 October 2016.

**9. ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

The group debriefed about the hearing meeting held the same morning with industry (see separated minutes in Annex I) on aluminium salts.

Next meetings: 24 August and 15 November 2016.
Minutes of the HEARING

SCCS meeting with GROW/Cosmetics Europe (CoE) on aluminium salts and dermal penetration

- **Welcome and apologies (Chair: P-J Coenraads)**
  The Chair welcomed the participants (see Annex II for details). Six apologies were received. DG GROW participated via audio.

- **Adoption of the agenda**
  The agenda was adopted as it was presented.

- **Declaration of interest on matters on the agenda**
  The Chair requested participants to declare any conflict of interest regarding matters on the agenda. None of the participants declared any conflict of interest. All invited experts from CoE filled in and signed the confidentiality form before the start of the meeting.

- **Presentation & discussion**
  A presentation was made on the new state-of-the-art clinical study on aluminium skin absorption from antiperspirants under use conditions.

  A discussion took place with the SCCS members.

- **Any other business: /**

- **Closure**
Annex II: List of Participants

Members of the SCCS
Ulrike Bernauer, Laurent Bodin, Jeanne Duus-Johansen, Qasim Chaudhry (Chair), Pieter-Jan Coenraads (2nd Vice-Chair), Corrado Lodovico Galli, Berit Granum, Eirini Panteri, Vera Rogiers (1st Vice-Chair), Christophe Rousselle, Maciej Stepnik, Susan Wijnhoven.

Apologies
Leonardo Celleno, Maria Dusinska, Janine Ezendam, Eric Gaffet, and Tamara Vanhaecke.

SCCS Secretariat (DG SANCO C2)
Natacha Grenier

DG GROW D4
Gaetano Castaldo (via audio).

Cosmetics Europe representatives:
- Dave Mason, Unilever,
- Dagmar Bury, l'Oreal,
- Julia Scheel, Beiersdorf,
- Wouter Vaes, TNO, and
- Rob Taalman, Cosmetics Europe