SPECIFIC PRIVACY STATEMENT
PUBLIC CONSULTATION ON THE TRANSPARENCY AND SUSTAINABILITY OF THE EU RISK ASSESSMENT MODEL IN THE FOOD CHAIN

OBJECTIVE

The objective of this consultation is to receive the views of stakeholders and potentially to publish the received contributions on the Internet, under the responsibility of the Head of Unit "Science, stakeholders, enforcement", Directorate-General for Health and Food Safety, European Commission.

As this online service collects and further processes personal data, it is subject to data protection rules as established by Regulation (EC) 45/20011.

1. WHAT PERSONAL INFORMATION DO WE COLLECT AND THROUGH WHICH TECHNICAL MEANS?

1.1. Identification Data

Personal data collected and further processed are only those data which are necessary for the management of contributions (such as fist name, family name, name of the organisation, country of residence, country where an organisation is based, e-mail addresses, registration in the Transparency Register of the European Commission and the European Parliament), as well as the views of contributors on the topics concerned.

The processing operations on personal data linked to the management of this consultation are necessary for the functioning of the Commission as mandated by the Treaties, and more specifically by Articles 5 and 13 TEU and Articles 244 - 250 TFEU.

1.2. Technical information

Your reply and personal data will be collected through an online survey using the EU Survey platform (for which a privacy statement can be found here: https://ec.europa.eu/eusurvey/home/privacystatement).

In addition, your personal data, along with the information you would provide through phone, e-mail or fax if you decide to contact the service responsible for the consultation (via the contact information below) to report a problem while completing this questionnaire or to request particular assistance, will be collected only to the extent necessary to address your request.

The implementation survey is an online survey carried out by using EUSurvey. The system uses session "cookies" in order to ensure communication between the client and the server. Therefore, your browser must be configured to accept "cookies".

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1 Regulation (EC) 45/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2000 on the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of personal data by the Community institutions and bodies and on the free movement of such data
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2. **WHO HAS ACCESS TO YOUR INFORMATION AND TO WHOM IS IT DISCLOSED?**

Received contributions, together with the identity of the contributor, will be published on the Internet, unless the contributor consents only to the publication of his/her contribution in a form which does not provide the following data categories: first name, family name, name of the organisation, country of residence, country where an organisation is based, e-mail addresses, registration in the Transparency Register of the European Commission and the European Parliament. If the contributor does not consent to the publication in whatever form, his/her contribution will not be published, but its content will, in principle, be taken into account. Any questions concerning the publication of personal data should be sent to the service responsible for the consultation (see Contact Information below).

3. **HOW DO WE PROTECT AND SAFEGUARD YOUR INFORMATION?**

Received contributions will be recorded in a secured and protected database hosted by the Data Centre of the European Commission, the operations of which abide by the Commission's security decisions and provisions established by the Directorate of Security for this kind of servers and services. The database is not accessible from outside the Commission. Inside the Commission, the database can be accessed using a UserID/Password.

4. **HOW CAN YOU VERIFY, MODIFY OR DELETE YOUR INFORMATION?**

In case you want to verify which personal data is stored, have it modified, corrected or deleted, or object to its processing, please contact us using the Contact Information below and explicitly specifying your request.

5. **HOW LONG DO WE KEEP YOUR DATA?**

The Head of Unit D1, "Science, stakeholder, enforcement", Director-General for Health and Food Safety, European Commission only keeps the data for as long as follow-up actions to the Consultation are necessary with regard to the purpose of the processing of personal data. Your personal data will be part of a list of contact details shared internally amongst Commission staff for the purposes of contacting you in the future in the context of subsequent Commission's initiatives. If you do not agree with this, please contact us using the Contact Information below and explicitly specifying your request.

All personal data will be deleted from databases 1 year after the last action in relation to the initiative on the transparency and sustainability of the EU risk assessment model in the food chain, in the framework of which the consultation activity was conducted.
6. CONTACT INFORMATION

In case you wish to verify which personal data is stored, have it modified, corrected, or deleted, or object to its processing, or if you have questions regarding the information processed in the context of the consultation, or on your rights, feel free to contact the support team at:

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7. RECOUSE

Complaints, in case of conflict, can be addressed to the European Data Protection Supervisor.