

PANEL ON BIOLOGICAL HAZARDS

DRAFT AGENDA 72nd PLENARY MEETING OF THE SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON BIOLOGICAL HAZARDS

Meeting Venue: Parma

Meeting Dates:

18 April 2012 from 09:00am to 18:00pm

19 April 2012 from 08:00am to 16:00pm

Publicly opened session – 18 April 2012

09:00	Wednesday 18 April 2012	
#	Items	Documents/Comments
1.	OPENING, APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE	
2.	ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA	
3.	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	
4.	NEW REQUESTS TO EFSA/BIOHAZ	
5.	OPINIONS FOR POSSIBLE ADOPTION	
5.1	Public health risks represented by certain composite products containing food of animal origin	
6.	DRAFT OPINIONS FOR THOROUGH READING	
6.1	Public health hazards to be covered by inspection of POULTRY meat	
6.2	Lessons learnt from modeling activities in BIOHAZ mandates	
6.3	Development of a risk ranking tool on biological hazards	
6.4	Review on the European Union Summary Report on zoonoses in 2009 and 2010 – for <i>Salmonella</i> , <i>Campylobacter</i> , VTEC, <i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> and food-borne outbreaks	
	QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS	

08:00	Thursday 19 April 2012	
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5.	OPINIONS FOR POSSIBLE ADOPTION	
5.2	Evaluation of TSE tests	
7.	PROGRESS REPORTS AND DISCUSSION ON THE FOLLOWING MANDATES	
7.1	Public health hazards to be covered by inspection of BOVINE meat	
7.2	Public health hazards to be covered by inspection of SHEEP AND GOAT meat	
7.3	Public health hazards to be covered by inspection of FARMED GAME meat	
7.4	Public health hazards to be covered by inspection of SOLIPEDS meat	
7.5	Self-tasking mandate for a scientific opinion on the maintenance of the list of QPS recommended biological agents intentionally added to food or feed as notified to EFSA (2012 update)	
7.6	Quantitative evaluation of BSE risk in bovine intestines and mesentery	
7.7	Risks posed by pathogens in food of non animal origin	
8.	FEED BACK FROM THE SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE AND FROM OTHER WGS	
8.1	Request for scientific and technical assistance on the minimum sample size to test should an annual BSE statistical testing regime be authorized in healthy slaughtered cattle	
9.	STANDING ITEMS ON THE AGENDA:	
9.1	Emerging issues	
9.2	Feedback from the European Commission	
9.3	BIOHAZ Networks	
10.	ANY OTHER BUSINESS	
11.	CLOSURE OF THE MEETING	