

PANEL ON BIOLOGICAL HAZARDS

Parma, 15 April 2009

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**47th PLENARY MEETING OF THE SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON
BIOLOGICAL HAZARDS**

Meeting dates:	22- 23 April 2009
Venue:	Parma

Draft Agenda

#	Items	Documents/Comments
1.	OPENING, APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE	
2.	ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA	
3.	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	
4.	NEW REQUESTS TO EFSA/BIOHAZ	
4.1	Parasites in fishery products	
5.	POSSIBLE ADOPTIONS	
5.1	Update BSE monitoring regime for EU 15, Slovenia and Cyprus	
5.2	Use and mode of action of bacteriophages in food production	
6.	PROGRESS REPORTS AND DISCUSSION ON THE FOLLOWING MANDATES	
6.1	Revision of the joint CEF/BIOHAZ guidance document on the submission of data for the evaluation of the safety and efficacy of substances for the removal of microbial surface contamination of foods of animal origin intended for human consumption	
6.2	Microbiological efficacy of food irradiation	

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6.3	Quantitative estimation of the public health impact of setting a new target for the reduction of <i>Salmonella</i> in laying hens	
6.4	Quantification of the risk posed by broiler meat to human campylobacteriosis in the EU	
6.5	<i>Campylobacter</i> in broiler meat production: control options and performance objectives and/or targets at different stages of the food chain	
6.6	Technical assistance on the link between <i>Salmonella</i> criteria at different stages of the poultry production chain	
6.7	QMRA on <i>Salmonella</i> in slaughter and breeding pigs	
6.8	Food safety aspects from the welfare of dairy cows	
6.9	ABP Alternative method from European Lime Association (EULA)	
6.10	BSE-related risk of bovine intestines	
6.11	Welfare aspects of stunning and killing of fish	
6.12	Trends of antimicrobial resistance (AMR) in zoonotic infections	
6.13	Genetic TSE resistance in goats – all the TSEs in all the EU (except classical scrapie in Cyprus)	
6.14	Maintenance of the list of QPS micro-organisms intentionally added to food or feed (2009 update)	
7.	FEED BACK FROM THE SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE AND FROM OTHER WGS	
8.	STANDING ITEMS ON THE AGENDA:	
8.1	Food safety issues of Avian Influenza	
8.2	Emerging risks	
8.3	Update on other EFSA activities related to biological hazards issues	

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8.4	Default assumptions used by EFSA's Scientific Panels and Committee in the absence of actual measured data	
9.	ANY OTHER BUSINESS	
10.	CLOSURE OF THE MEETING	