



Scientific Panel on Plant Protection Products and their Residues

Minutes of the 110th Plenary meeting

Held on 21 April 2021 (webconference)

(Agreed on 30 April, 2021)

Participants

■ Panel Members:

Paulien Adriaanse, Annette Aldrich, Philippe Berny, Tamara Coja, Sabine Duquesne, Andreas Focks, Antonio Hernandez-Jerez (chair), Marina Marinovich, Maurice Millet, Olavi Pelkonen, Silvia Pieper, Aldrik Tiktak, Christopher Topping, Anneli Widenfalk, Martin Wilks, Gerrit Wolterink.

■ Hearing Experts:

Not Applicable

■ European Commission and/or Member States representatives:

Not Applicable

■ EFSA:

PREV Unit: Ippolito Alessio, Maria Arena, Domenica Auteri, Arianna Chiusolo, Aude Kienzler, Alberto Linguadoca, Martina Panzarea, Juan Parra Morte, Andrea Terron, Manuela Tiramani

AMU Unit: Laura Martino

■ Observers:

Not Applicable

■ Others:

Not Applicable

1. Welcome and apologies for absence

The Chair welcomed the participants.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of Interest of Scientific Committee/Scientific Panel/ Members

Declarations of Interest of Scientific Panel Members In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Independence and the Decision of the Executive Director on Competing Interest Management, EFSA screened the Annual Declarations of Interest filled out by the Panel members invited to the present meeting. No Conflicts of Interest related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process, and no interests were declared orally by the members at the beginning of this meeting.

4 On-going activities of the Scientific Committee

The chair informed the Panel on the status of the on-going activities of the Scientific Committee.

5 Scientific outputs submitted for discussion and/or possible adoption, updates on ongoing activities, new projects

5.1 Scientific Opinion of the PPR Panel for developing Integrated Approaches to Testing and assessment (IATA) case studies on developmental neurotoxicity (DNT) risk assessment (EFSA-Q-2019-00100)

The Panel was informed on how the comments received during the public consultation have been addressed in the finalisation of the Opinion. The Opinion was adopted by the Panel unanimously.

5.2 Comparative *in vitro* metabolism studies (EFSA-Q-2020-0055)

The Panel was updated on the development of the Scientific Opinion, including the second round of comments received by the peer reviewers.

5.3 Opinion on the toxicity profile of PBA and PBA(OH) (metabolites common to several pyrethroid substances) (EFSA-Q-2021-00118)

The Panel was updated on the status of the implementation of the project and the planning. Tamara was nominated to act as chair of the Working Group to be implemented for addressing the Commission request.

5.4 Statement on the active substances flupyradifurone and acetamiprid (EFSA-Q-2021-00159 and 2021-00160)

The Panel was updated on the request from the Commission for the development of two Statements on the assessment of new information notified by France and the Netherland under Article 69 of Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 and Article 56 of Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009, respectively. Annette and Antonio were nominated chair and co-chair of the Working Group, respectively, via written procedure prior to the Plenary meeting. The methodology proposed for the assessment was presented for discussion to the Panel.

6. Checklist for reviewers

The Panel discussed on the experience gained using the checklist developed to assist the reviewers when peer reviewing draft outputs in the last year and some amendments for improvement were agreed.

7. AOB

The Panel was informed about the re-election of the chairs of the EFSA Panels by July 2021. Based on this, the re-election of the chair of the PPR Panel will take place during the next Plenary on 23 June.