



146th PLENARY MEETING OF THE SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON BIOLOGICAL HAZARDS

Meeting date:	3-4 June 2021
Meeting hours:	09:00-17:30 (3 June) 09:00-17:30 (4 June)
Meeting venue:	Audio-Web conference
Chair:	<i>Prof. Konstantinos Koutsoumanis</i>

Agenda

Open session

No.	Topic
1.	Welcome and Apologies for absence
2.	Adoption of the agenda
3.	Declarations of Interest
4.	Agreement of the minutes of the 145 th Plenary meeting held on 29 April and 6 May 2021 by audio-web conference
5.	Scientific outputs submitted for possible adoption or endorsement
5.1	Statement on the update of the list of QPS-recommended biological agents intentionally added to food or feed as notified to EFSA. 14: Suitability of taxonomic units notified to EFSA until March 2021 (EFSA-Q-2020-00079)
5.2	Request for scientific and technical assistance to examine the data collected by the Member States in the framework of the 2-years compulsory intensified surveillance in case of atypical scrapie (EFSA-Q-2020-00662)
6.	Scientific outputs submitted for discussion
6.1	Scientific opinion on the update of the list of QPS-recommended biological agents intentionally added to food or feeds as notified to EFSA (EFSA-Q-2020-00083)
6.2	Scientific opinion as regards specific maximum levels of cross-contamination for 24 antimicrobial active substances in non-target feed (EFSA-Q-2019-00221), endorsement of relevant sections for public consultation



6.3	Scientific opinion on the capacity of certain specific processing or transformation methods of animal by-products used in the production of organic fertilisers and soil improvers in view of determining the endpoints in the manufacturing chain of certain derived products (EFSA-Q-2020-00401)
6.4	Scientific opinion on the efficacy and safety of high pressure processing of food (EFSA-Q-2020-00380)
6.5	Scientific opinion on the microbiological safety of aged meat (EFSA-Q-2020-00527)
6.6	Scientific opinion on the evaluation of the safety and efficacy of lactic acid to reduce microbiological surface contamination on carcasses from wild game and small stock (EFSA-Q-2020-00541)
7.	New Mandates
8.	Feedback from the Scientific Committee/Scientific Panels, EFSA, the European Commission
8.1	Scientific Committee
8.2	European Commission
8.3	Update on Scientific opinion for the listing and categorisation of transmissible animal diseases caused by bacteria resistant to antimicrobials, in the framework of the Animal Health Law (EFSA-Q-2019-00760)
9.	Other topics for information and/or discussion
9.1	Implementation of the guidance on uncertainty analysis in scientific assessments
9.2	Topics of scientific concern in the area of biological hazards and BIOHAZ self-tasks (including selftask on microbiological hazards associated with the use of water in the handling and processing operations of fresh and frozen fruits, vegetables and herbs)
10.	Any other business