

**SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON
ANIMAL HEALTH AND WELFARE
155th PLENARY MEETING**



13 March 2024
AGENDA

Location: Teleconference

Chair: Søren Saxmose NIELSEN

Day 1: 13 March 2024

No.	Item
1	Welcome and Apologies for absence
2	Adoption of the agenda
3	Declarations of interest
4	Agreement of the minutes of the 154th Plenary meeting (6 March 2024)
5	Report on written procedure
	Not applicable
6	Scientific outputs submitted for discussion
6.1	Art. 29 - Vaccination against highly pathogenic avian influenza: TOR3 and 4 – EFSA-M-2022-00145. Thorough discussion.
	Coffee break
6.2	Art. 29 - Scientific opinions concerning the on-farm killing of small ruminants (EFSA-Q-2018-00722): first reading.
6.3	Art. 29 - Request for a Scientific Opinion concerning the use of high-expansion foam for stunning and killing pigs and poultry – EFSA-Q-2022-00344 - Update.
6.4	Art. 29 - Request for a scientific opinion concerning the protection of animals kept for fur production -Update
	Lunch break
6.5	Art.31-Mandate for scientific and technical assistance for a coordinated surveillance system under the One Health approach for cross-border pathogens threatening the Union: Update
6.6	Art.31-African swine fever: Update on epidemiological report and risk factor analysis: Update
6.7	Art.31 - Pandemic drivers of Avian Influenza: Update
7	Other scientific topics for information/discussion
7.1	Update on the upcoming meetings of the EFSA Networks dealing with Animal welfare: the AHAW (AW topic) Network and the Network of the scientific National Contact Points for Council Regulation (EC) 1099/2009.
8	Update on new mandates



- 8.1 Art 29. Request for a Scientific Opinion concerning Avian Influenza: terms of reference.
- 8.2 Art. 29 - Request for a Scientific Opinion concerning the welfare of horses – terms of reference.
- Art. 29 - Request for a Scientific Opinion concerning the welfare of donkeys and their hybrids – terms of reference.
- Art. 31 - Request for a Technical Report common husbandry systems for the keeping of Equidae – terms of reference.
- 8.3 Application of Slovenia for obtaining the status negligible risk for classical scrapie.
- 9 Feedback from the Scientific Committee/Scientific Panels, EFSA, the European Commission**
- Not applicable
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