Network on Porcine Epidemic Diarrhoea (PED) Minutes of the 8th meeting for the project: ‘Request for scientific and technical assistance on the collection and review of updated scientific epidemiological data on porcine epidemic diarrhoea (PED)’

WEB-conference, 30 November 2015

(Agreed on 10 December 2015)\(^1\)

Participants

- **Network Representatives of Member States (including EFTA Countries):**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Country</th>
<th>Name</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Croatia</td>
<td>Dragan Brnić</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Estonia</td>
<td>Triin Tedersoo</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Germany</td>
<td>Sandra Blome</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Italy</td>
<td>Beatrice Boniotti, Giovanni Alborali, Monica Cerioli</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Netherlands</td>
<td>Paul Franssen</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Spain</td>
<td>Luis Romero</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Sweden</td>
<td>Cecilia Hultén</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>United Kingdom</td>
<td>Falko Steinbach, Helen Roberts, Susanna Williamson</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

- **Hearing Experts**

  Ádám Dán, Adolf Steinrigl, Antonio Lavazza, Bertel Strandbygaard, Eoin Ryan, Nicolas Rose

- **European Commission:**

  None

- **EFSA:**

\(^1\) The publication of the minutes shall be made without delay in compliance with the Founding Regulation and no later than 15 working days following the day of their agreement.

\(^2\) Indicate first full name and then surname (John Smith) all throughout the document.
1. Welcome and apologies for absence
The Chair welcomed the participants. Apologies were received from Anette Bøtner, Beatrice Grasland, Carl Andreas Grøntvedt, Laura London, Taina Laine, Wim van der Poel and Francesco Berlingieri (European Commission, DG SANTE).

2. Adoption of agenda
The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of Interest
An Oral DOI was requested at the beginning of the meeting. No conflicts of interests were identified.

4. Agreement of the minutes of the 7th meeting of the Network on Porcine Epidemic Diarrhoea (PED) for the project: ‘Request for scientific and technical assistance on the collection and review of updated scientific epidemiological data on porcine epidemic diarrhoea (PED)’, held on 9 October 2015, by web-conference. The minutes were agreed by written procedure on 4th of December 2015 and published on the EFSA website on 9th of December 2015.

5. Topics for discussion

5.1 Update on information from participating countries
Netherlands indicated that there is a small increase in the number of infected farms at local level of PED.

5.2 PED literature review
The information from the extensive literature review has been summarised in the updated draft Scientific Report of EFSA in 3 tables.

5.3 Draft Scientific Report of EFSA: comments and endorsement
The updated version of the draft Scientific Report of EFSA will be sent on Monday, 7th of December. The network members were told that the deadline to provide additional comments on the draft report will be the 10th of December 2015. At the meeting of the 10th of December the endorsement of the Draft EFSA Scientific report will be sought.
5.3 Issuing and publication of Scientific Report of EFSA

The updated draft Scientific Report of EFSA was discussed and comments from the participants were given. Spain indicated that the country-specific information that has been included on page 23 and now has been deleted can be integrated into the main body of the report in the impact section. It was also pointed out that in the abstract instead from the term “EU” it should be clarified that the discussion on the collected data concerns EU member states and not the whole Europe. The Scientific Report of EFSA is currently planned to be issued by December 15 and its publication will follow in January.

6. Any Other Business

No other business was discussed.

6.1 Date for next meeting

The date for the next meeting is 10\textsuperscript{th} of December 2015.

7. Conclusions (s)

It was agreed that the draft report will be sent on 7\textsuperscript{th} of December 2015 and the network members are invited to send their comments by 10\textsuperscript{th} of December 2015.

8. Closure of the meeting

All participants were invited to review the updated draft report (to be sent on December 7\textsuperscript{th}) carefully and provide written comments. At the meeting of the 10\textsuperscript{th} any remaining issues will be discussed and endorsement of the Report from the Network will be sought.