



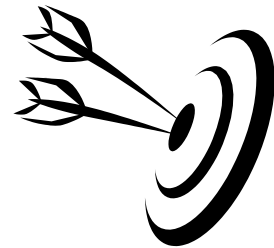
Development of a new concept for Article 36 networking and management of the List

**Management Board Meeting
14 December 2016**

AIM OF PRESENTATION

To inform the MB about a new initiative on strengthening **European networking amongst competent organisations and with EFSA through:**

- Establishing a more agile up-to-date **Art.36 List**
- Enhancing **engagement** of MS and competent organisations in networking



Under SO3 of Strategy 2020: *“build the EU’s scientific assessment capacity and knowledge community”*

FOCUS

Barriers to cooperation, including:



- Administrative burden and duplication of work
- Inefficient identification of partners
- Lack of incentives
- Diverse understanding of role & use of the list

Shall be overcome by:



- Using 10 years of **experience** in MS and EFSA
- Exploring **opportunities** provided by legislation
- Becoming **part** of EFSA's new IT landscape

INVOLVEMENT OF KEY PLAYERS

Advisory Forum

EU national food safety authorities commit to strengthening their partnership with EFSA



Focal Points

Art. 36
Organisations



BOUNDARIES

Regulation

Networking of
Competent Organisations
more efficient and effective

New concept
Current process and IT Tool



Supported by new procedures & new IT tool



Lead to a newly drawn up List



PHASES OF PROJECT

Regulation

Networking of
Competent Organisations

more efficient and effective

New concept

↳ Supported by new procedures & new IT tool

➡ Lead to a newly drawn up List

Phase 1: Inform MB in **12/2016**

Phase 2: **Develop a new solution** to manage the List and support networking by **12/2017**

Phase 3: MB newly draws-up the List of Competent Organisations in **12/2018**