Scientific Panel on Food Additives and Nutrient Sources Added to Food

Draft Agenda of the 78th Plenary meeting

21-23 November 2017, Parma, (Italy)
Meeting open to Observers

CLOSED SESSION
21 November 2017, 9:00-18:00h

Items under point 6 are closed to Observers due to confidential business information/proprietary data

1. Welcome and apologies for absence
2. Adoption of the agenda
3. Declarations of Interest of Scientific Panel Members
4. Agreement of the minutes of the 77th Plenary meeting held on 23-24 October, Amsterdam (Netherlands)
5. Report on written procedures since 77th Plenary meeting
6. Scientific outputs submitted for discussion and possible adoption
   6.1. Orthosilicic acid-vanillin complex (OSA-VC) as a novel food ingredient and as a source of silicon added for nutritional purposes to food supplements (EFSA-Q-2016-00004)

OPEN SESSION
22 November 2017, 09:00-18:00h
23 November 2017, 09:00-15:00h

7. Welcome
8. Brief introduction of Panel members and Observes
9. Presentation of the EFSA Guidelines for Observers

10. Scientific outputs submitted for discussion and/or possible adoption


10.5. Scientific opinion on the safety of hydroxyanthracene derivatives ([EFSA-Q-2016-00562](https://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/observersguidelines.pdf))


11. New Mandates

12. Feedback from the Scientific Committee/Scientific Panels, EFSA, the European Commission

12.1. Scientific Panel(s) including their Working Groups

12.2. EFSA including its Working Groups /Task Forces

12.3. European Commission

13. Other scientific topics for information and/or discussion

14. Questions from and answers to Observers (in application of the guidelines for Observers)

15. Any other business