

European Food Safety Authority

PANEL ON BIOLOGICAL HAZARDS

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23rd PLENARY MEETING OF THE SCIENTIFIC PANEL ON BIOLOGICAL HAZARDS

Meeting dates: 17-18 May 2006

Venue: Largo N. Palli 5/A, I-43100 Parma

Draft Agenda

#	Items
1.	OPENING, APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE
2.	ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA
3.	ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS PLENARY
4.	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST
5.	OFFICIAL REQUESTS TO EFSA
5.1.	Presentation of new mandates received from the Commission
5.2.	Organization of Working Groups
6.	DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ADOPTION OF OPINIONS
6.1.	Quantitative Risk Assessment for residual BSE risk: Opinion on Vertebral Column
6.2.	BSE related risk from the use of skins and hides for technical purposes from cohort animals
6.3.	Visual inspection system in veal calves – TB aspects

Items
PROGRESS REPORTS AND DISCUSSION ON THE FOLLOWING MANDATES
Opinion on the update of the GBR methodology
Breeding and TSE resistance in small ruminants
Review of the Community summary zoonoses report
ABP: Progress on process applications received
Quantitative Risk Assessment for residual BSE risk in sheep
PROGRESS ON THE DOCUMENTS FOR PUBLIC CONSULTATION
FEED-BACK BY THE CHAIRMAN ON SUBJECTS DISCUSSED IN THE SC OF INTEREST TO THE PANEL
FEED-BACK BY THE PANEL MEMBERS ATTENDING WG FROM OTHER PANELS
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CLOSURE OF THE MEETING