

CONSULTATION MEETING

Animal Welfare Aspects of Husbandry Systems for Farmed Fish 4th March 2008 – Palazzo Ducale, strada delle fonderie Parma Italy

Agenda

09:00 - 09:20	Welcome and introduction to EFSA	R. Maijala
9:20 - 9:40	EFSA-AHAW Activities on Animal Welfare	J. Serratosa
9.40 - 10.10	EFSA Mandate on Animal Welfare aspects of Husbandry Systems for Farmed Fish and current status of the Draft Scientific Reports ¹	D. M. Broom/R. Roberts
10:10 - 10:30	COFFEE/TEA BREAK	
10:30 – 11:30	<u>Discussion Session I: Scientific data considered in the Draft Scientific Report on Farmed Salmon:</u>	Chair D.M.Broom
	- Relevance of the scientific basis of the Report	Secretary
	- Coverage of scientific aspects in the Report	A. Afonso
	- Suggestions for additions	
	- Any other general relevant comments	
11:30 – 13:00	<u>Discussion Session II: Specific comments on the subjects covered by the Draft Scientific Report:</u>	Chair D.M.Broom
	Fish farming production and husbandry systems	
	- Biology of farmed fish	Secretary
	- Needs of fish	A. Afonso
13:00 – 14:00	LUNCH	
14:00 – 15:30	<u>Discussion Session III: Specific comments on the subjects covered by the Draft Scientific Report:</u>	Chairs D.M Broom/ R.Roberts
	- Biology of farmed salmon and comments for other fish species groups	
	- Welfare of salmon life stages	
	- Risk assessment approach to fish welfare issues	
15:30 – 16:30	Follow up: actions and calendar	A. Afonso
16:30	Concluding remarks and closure of the meeting	J. Serratosa

¹ Written comments received from the stakeholders on the Draft Report will be delivered to all attending before the meeting.