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
D. M. Broom/R. Roberts
10:10 - 10:30 COFFEE/TEA BREAK
10:30 – 11:30 Discussion Session I: Scientific data considered in
the Draft Scientific Report on Farmed Salmon:
- Relevance of the scientific basis of the Report
- Coverage of scientific aspects in the Report
- Suggestions for additions
- Any other general relevant comments
Chair
D.M. Broom
Secretary
A. Afonso
11:30 – 13:00 Discussion Session II: Specific comments on the
subjects covered by the Draft Scientific Report:
Fish farming production and husbandry systems
- Biology of farmed fish
- Needs of fish
Chair
D.M. Broom
Secretary
A. Afonso
13:00 – 14:00 LUNCH
14:00 – 15:30 Discussion Session III: Specific comments on the
subjects covered by the Draft Scientific Report:
- Biology of farmed salmon and comments for other
fish species groups
- Welfare of salmon life stages
- Risk assessment approach to fish welfare issues
Chair
D.M Broom/R.
Roberts
15:30 – 16:30 Follow up: actions and calendar
A. Afonso
16:30 Concluding remarks and closure of the meeting
J. Serratosa

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