



Minutes

Meeting of the Scientific Committee on Consumer Safety (SCCS) **WG on cosmetic ingredients in Cosmetic Products**

30 June 2017, Luxembourg

1. Approval of the agenda, minutes and declaration of interests

The Chair welcomed the participants. The agenda was adopted with some changes regarding sequence of items.

The minutes of the previous meeting were already validated by the Chair of the WG and published on the website on 5 May 2017.

The Chair invited participants to declare any interest regarding matters on the agenda. None of the participants declared any interest conflicting with the matter on the agenda.

2. Nature of the meeting

This is a regular meeting of that working group.

3. List of points discussed and conclusions

3.1 New mandate

The request for an Addendum to the scientific opinion on the safety of the preservative Climbazole (CAS 38083-17-9) – new calculation of Margin of safety – was adopted by written procedure on 27 June and published:

https://ec.europa.eu/health/sites/health/files/scientific_committees/consumer_safety/docs/sccs2016_q_013.pdf

DG GROW informed the Secretariat that there will be no need for a commenting period for this Addendum. The SCCS clarified that any additional data/study that would become available in the future should be submitted with a new mandate.

3.2 Draft opinions (on hold):

- Fragrance Vetiver Oil - Submission III

Following the SCCS request for clarification sent to the Applicant, the dossier is on hold until the Applicant send the information requested, most probably by autumn.

- 2-(4-tert-butylbenzyl)propionaldehyde (BMHCA) – Submission II

The draft opinion was discussed and tasks among members allocated to progress in the development of the Opinion. A revised version is planned to be added on the agenda of the next meeting of the WG on cosmetic ingredients (30 August) for further discussion.

- Aluminium

A clarification request has been agreed on and sent to the Applicant. The dossier is on hold until the Applicant send the information requested.

- Di-HEMA Trimethylhexyl Dicarbamate, HEMA and Urethane acrylates

The draft opinion was discussed and tasks among members allocated to progress in the development of the Opinion. References of the dossier were received in the meantime. A revised version is planned to be added on the agenda of the next meeting of the WG on cosmetic ingredients (30 August) for further discussion.

- Quantitative Risk Assessment method (QRA 2)

The draft opinion was discussed and tasks among members allocated to progress in the development of the Opinion. A revised version is planned to be added on the agenda of the next meeting of the WG on cosmetic ingredients (30 August) for further discussion.

3.3 Comments on opinions

- Methoxypropylamino Cyclohexenylidene Ethoxyethylcyanoacetate (S87) - Submission I - SCCS/1587/17

The SCCS response to comments received and the final version of the Opinion, adapted accordingly, were agreed on. The preliminary conclusions remain unchanged in the final version that will be published after a written procedure of adoption.

- Water-soluble zinc salts used in oral hygiene products - Submission I - SCCS/1586/17

The discussion on the SCCS response to comment and the final version of the Opinion are postponed to September meeting due to a clarification request sent to DG GROW.

- Hydroxyethoxyphenyl Butanone (P98) - SCCS/1582/16

The SCCS response to last comment received was agreed on and will be sent to the Applicant. There is no change in the final Opinion.

3.4 Update Information from Commission/Chair/Members

- The catalogue of nanomaterials used in cosmetic products placed on the market has been published on the Europa website (section Cosmetics / nanomaterials) on

Thursday 15 June 2017: the catalogue now contains 43 nanomaterials, of which 12 colorants, 6 UV-filters and 25 other substances:
http://ec.europa.eu/growth/sectors/cosmetics/products/nanomaterials_en

- A call for tender concerning a Single Framework Contract to provide services to support the assessment of characterising flavours in tobacco products has been published – Deadline: 11 August. The Commission is setting up a Technical Group of Sensory and Chemical Assessors. This group will carry out the practical sensory and chemical assessments of tobacco products and will contribute to the development of the methodology to be used for the technical assessment of these test products. The methodology for sensory analysis shall be based on a comparison of the smelling properties of test product with those of reference products.
http://ec.europa.eu/chafea/health/tender-06-2016_en.html
- The Secretariat informed it will visit EFSA on 13-14 July and participate in the Plenary meeting.
- The Secretariat informed that a new chemist from Greece may join SCCS as external expert from 30 August.
- EFSA has launched a [public consultation](#) on its draft Bisphenol A (BPA) hazard assessment protocol. The draft protocol is accompanied by the news story “[Have your say now on EFSA’s next BPA re-evaluation](#)” and a flash video interview. They are available in English, French, German and Italian.

4. Next steps

To collect all input from the members related to the revision of the draft opinions and to prepare respective new versions for the next working group meeting (30 August 2017).

5. Next meetings

30 August 2017, 27 September and 13 December.

6. List of participants

SCCS Members

1. Dr Ulrike BERNAUER
2. Dr Laurent BODIN
3. Dr Leonardo CELLENO
4. Prof. Qasim CHAUDHRY (Chair SCCS)
5. Prof. Pieter-Jan COENRAADS (Vice-chair SCCS and chair of the WG)
6. Prof. Maria DUSINSKA
7. Dr Janine EZENDAM
8. Dr Eric GAFFET
9. Prof. Corrado L. GALLI
10. Dr Berit GRANUM
11. Prof. Eirini PANTERI

12. Prof. Vera ROGIERS
13. Dr Christophe ROUSSELLE
14. Dr Maciej STEPNIK
15. Prof. Tamara VANHAECKE
16. Dr Susan WIJNHOVEN

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Apologies

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