



Luxembourg, 15 December 2020

Scientific Committee on Consumer Safety (SCCS)

WG on Nanomaterials in Cosmetic Products

14 December 2020

Minutes

1. Welcome and apologies, approval of the agenda and declaration of interests

The Chair welcomed the participants. There were no apologies received.

The agenda was adopted without changes.

The minutes of the previous meeting were endorsed by written process by the WG members and published on the website.

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. List of points discussed

2.1. New mandates

None

2.2. Preliminary Opinions open for comments

- Preliminary ‘Scientific advice on the safety of nanomaterials in cosmetics’ has been adopted by the SCCS by written procedure on 5 October and published for commenting period until 2 November. In total, 9 comments were received from different stakeholders. The replies to comments and the revised Advice have been prepared by the working group members and will be sent to SCCS members for adoption via written procedure.
https://ec.europa.eu/health/scientific_committees/consumer_safety/opinions_en
- Preliminary Opinion on Hydroxyapatite (nano) – submission II. Opinion was adopted at the SCCS October plenary meeting. Opinion is open for comments until 4 January 2021:

https://ec.europa.eu/health/sites/health/files/scientific_committees/consumer_safety/docs/sccs_o_246.pdf

- Preliminary Opinion on Copper (nano) and Colloidal Copper (nano). Opinion was adopted at the SCCS October plenary meeting. Opinion is open for comments until 4 January 2021:

https://ec.europa.eu/health/sites/health/files/scientific_committees/consumer_safety/docs/sccs_o_245.pdf

2.3. Draft opinions to discuss

- Opinion on Platinum/colloidal platinum. Opinion has been discussed and revised and it will be further discussed at the next meeting.
- Opinion on Gold/colloidal gold and surface modified gold. Opinion has been discussed and revised and it will be further discussed at the next meeting.
- Opinion on HAA299 nano (UV filter Bis-(Diethylaminohydroxybenzoyl Benzoyl) Piperazine). First version of the draft opinion has been discussed. New version will be prepared for the next meeting.

2.4. Legislative points from GROW

None

3. Information from the Commission and members of the SCCS

Closure of WebEx. Move to Microsoft Teams for audio meetings and sharing documents in 2021.

4. Next meeting(s)

14 January 2021

24 February 2021

