

### **EUROPEAN COMMISSION**

HEALTH AND CONSUMERS DIRECTORATE-GENERAL

Health systems and products Risk assessment

# 18<sup>th</sup> plenary meeting of the Scientific Committee on Emerging and Newly Identified Health Risks SCENIHR

Meeting date: 7 June 2012

### **Draft Agenda**

- 1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES
- 2. ADOPTION OF THE DRAFT AGENDA
- 3. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS ON MATTERS ON THE AGENDA
- 4. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS PLENARY MEETING
- 5. CHAIR'S/MEMBERS' REPORTS
- 6. OPINIONS FOR FINAL ADOPTION
  - **6.1.** Improvement of Risk Assessment
- 7. OPINION FOR ADOPTION IN VIEW OF PUBLIC CONSULTATION

Nothing for this meeting

- 8. ONGOING WORK
  - 8.1. OWN WORK (THE RESPECTIVE CHAIRS TO PROVIDE AN UPDATE)
    - EMF
    - PIP2
    - BPA in medical devices
    - Nanosilver
    - Nanomaterials in Medical Devices
  - 8.2. JOINT OPINIONS / PARTICIPATION OF MEMBERS IN ACTIVITIES OF OTHER SCIENTIFIC BODIES
    - New Challenges for Risk Assessment (SCENIHR, SCHER, SCCS)

The chair of the WG to provide an update

• Threshold of Toxicological Concern (TTC) Approach for Safety Assessment of Chemical Substances (SCCS, SCHER, SCENIHR)

# 9. FEEDBACK BY COMMISSION SERVICES ON FOLLOW-UP TO OPINIONS

Discussion on a possible response to the letter sent to Commissioner Dali by NGOs on the Weight-of-Evidence Memorandum.

# 10. New requests

- Phthalates in Medical Devices.

### 11. EMERGING ISSUES

# 12. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- Sponsored journals and how to evaluate papers published there?