



## Scientific Committee on Consumer Safety (SCCS)

### WG on 'Nanomaterials in Cosmetic Products'

Minutes 25 November 2013

**1. Welcome and apologies**

The Chair welcomed the participants including a new expert (member of SCENIHR). One apology was announced by the Chair.

**2. Adoption of the agenda**

The agenda was adopted as it was presented.

**3. Declaration of interest on matters on the agenda**

No potential risk of conflict of interest was declared.

Issue of co-authoring of scientific literature was raised and identified as no risk.

One expert declared he will participate in 2014 as a trainer in risk assessment training and no conflict of interest was identified as this will be for a governmental authority outside the EU.

**4. Information from Chair**

Comments received on TiO<sub>2</sub> and ZnO opinions are lengthy comments and need time to be replied. This item will be also put on the agenda of the next nano WG meeting.

**5. Carbon Black (nano form), draft opinion – SCCS/1515/13**

The draft opinion was discussed again and put on the agenda of the next nano WG meeting (4/12) prior to adoption at SCCS Plenary meeting (12/12).

**6. Silica (nano form), new mandate**

A pre-“gap analysis” started and weak points /lack of data were identified and discussed.

A general overview on the dossier will be prepared for the next nano WG meeting in order to be discussed prior to any deeper evaluation.

**7. Any other business**

One additional external expert will be participating from December meeting.

Next meetings are scheduled on 04 December 2013, 13 and 31 January 2014, and 13 March 2014.