



17<sup>th</sup> plenary meeting of the  
Scientific Committee on Health and Environmental Risks (SCHER)  
25 September 2012 at 10.00  
(Brussels, rue Breydel 4, B232, meeting room 08/120)

Draft Agenda

- 1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES**
- 2. INTRODUCTION TAPANI PIHA, HEAD OF UNIT, SANCO D3**
- 3. ADOPTION OF THE DRAFT AGENDA**
- 4. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS ON MATTERS ON THE AGENDA**
- 5. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS PLENARY MEETING**
- 6. NEW REQUESTS FOR OPINIONS BY COMMISSION SERVICES ON:**
  - 6.1. Dental Amalgam**
- 7. ONGOING REQUESTS FOR OPINIONS BY COMMISSION SERVICES ON:**
  - 7.1. Cadmium in fertilizers – human-health aspects**

For adoption of the final opinion (C. Janssen)
  - 7.2. Nickel in toys**

For adoption of the final opinion (W. Dekant)
  - 7.3. New Challenges for Risk Assessment**

For approval for public consultation (M. Vighi and W. Dekant)
  - 7.4. Improvements in Risk Assessment**

For adoption of the final opinion (D. Bard)

**8. PARTICIPATION OF THE SCHER IN ACTIVITIES/WORKING GROUPS OF OTHER SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEES**

- 8.1.** Nitrosamines and Secondary Amines in Cosmetics (SCCS in the lead) – W. Dekant
- 8.2.** NDELA and Nitrosamines in Cosmetics and Balloons (SCCS in the lead) – W. Dekant
- 8.3.** BPA in medical devices (SCENIHR in the lead) – E. Testai
- 8.4.** Metal-on-metal hip implants (SCENIHR in the lead) – W. Dekant

**9. NEW AND EMERGING ISSUES**

**10. NEXT PLENARY MEETING – TBD**

**11. ANY OTHER BUSINESS**