

# Scientific Committee on Consumer Safety (SCCS) JOINT WG on Cosmetic Ingredients and Hair Dyes

**Venue: Luxembourg** 

Meeting date: 02-03 December 2015

#### **Minutes**

# **WG on Hair Dyes**

## 1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES

The Chair welcomed the participants. Two apologies were 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

The Chair requested participants to declare any conflict of interest regarding matters on the agenda. None of the participants declared any conflict of interest.

## 4. Information from Chairman/Members/Commission

A draft factsheet on hair dyes has been circulated for SCCS comments.

# 5. DRAFT OPINIONS DISCUSSED

# • **B123 HC** YELLOW 16

The draft opinion was finalised and is planned to be adopted at the December plenary meeting.

# • B124 HC RED No. 18

The draft opinion was discussed and is planned to be adopted at the December plenary meeting.

# • N,N'-BIS-(2-HYDROXYETHYL)-2-NITRO-P-PHENYLENEDIAMINE (B34)

The draft opinion was discussed and is planned to be further discussed at the next WG meeting. The applicant was contacted to provide additional data on stability.

## 6. COMMENTS ON OPINIONS ON

## • VETIVERYL ACETATE

It has been proposed that DG GROW prepares a new mandate on this substance for SCCS.

# • B120 HC RED 17

Replies to the comments have been discussed. The revised version of the opinion is ready to be adopted at the SCCS plenary meeting in December.

## • **B121 HC YELLOW 17**

Replies to the comments have been discussed. The revised version of the opinion is ready to be adopted at the SCCS plenary meeting in December.

# • **B122 HC BLUE 18**

Replies to the comments have been discussed. The revised version of the opinion is ready to be adopted at the SCCS plenary meeting in December.

## • A163

The revised version of the opinion is ready to be adopted at the SCCS plenary meeting in December. Replies to the comments have been finalised.

## 7. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Next meeting: 19/01/2015 AM.

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# **WG on Cosmetic Ingredients**

## 1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES

The Chair welcomed the participants. Two apologies were announced by the Chair during the first and the second day meeting.

### 2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

The agenda was adopted as it was presented.

## 3. DECLARATION OF INTEREST ON MATTERS ON THE AGENDA

The Chair requested participants to declare any conflict of interest regarding matters on the agenda. None of the participants declared any conflict of interest.

# 4. DECLARATION INFORMATION FROM COMMISSION/CHAIR/SCCS

- SYNBIO Joint Opinion (III) the final text is under adoption through written procedure (end 4 December 2015): SCCS members were invited to join to SCENIHR Plenary meeting on 3 December 2015 to assist to the presentation of this opinion and discuss it.
- A "Lessons learned" point will be added on the plenary agenda for further discussion or feedback, in particular on the Rules of procedure (e.g. role of Rapporteur/Chair, presence, preparatory work for the meetings etc). http://ec.europa.eu/health/scientific\_committees/docs/rules\_procedure\_2013\_en.pdf

- Pieter-Jan Coenraads is planning to make a presentation on 26 January 2016 to members
  of the Working Group on Allergens II of the International Cooperation on Cosmetic
  Regulation (ICCR) on SCCS risk assessment on allergens and skin sensitisers used in
  cosmetic products.
- A Methodology Working Group (WG) meeting with IDEA /GROW/JRC/SCCS was held on 30 October 2010 to discuss the Quantitative Risk Assessment (QRA). Minutes are published. SCCS Chair gave a feedback during the methodology WG meeting on 4 November 2015:
  - http://ec.europa.eu/health/scientific\_committees/consumer\_safety/docs/sccs\_miwg\_235.pdf
- Christophe Rousselle participated as observer on 4-5 November 2015 in the EFSA working group meeting on Benchmark Dose (BMD). The main changes proposed in comparison with the 2009 opinion are planned to be presented and discussed at the next methodology meeting (15 March 2016). Minutes of the September meeting are available: <a href="http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/assets/benchmarkwg.pdf">http://www.efsa.europa.eu/sites/default/files/assets/benchmarkwg.pdf</a>
- A technical meeting on the JRC methodology for evidence screening of chemicals developed in the context of impact assessment on criteria to identify endocrine disruptors was held in Brussels on 6 November 2015. *The SCCS Secretariat and Christophe Rousselle* participated and he reported to all members. No action from SCCS is foreseen at this stage.
  - http://ec.europa.eu/health/endocrine\_disruptors/events/ev\_20151106\_en.htm
- The Secretariat informed about the good visibility of the newsletter since July/September. Great results were observed in particular for the Issue 156 (9 July 2015): Beauty is more than skin deep, but cosmetic products shouldn't be. <a href="http://ec.europa.eu/health/newsletter/156/newsletter\_en.htm">http://ec.europa.eu/health/newsletter/156/newsletter\_en.htm</a>
- A draft factsheet on the changes in the 9th revision of the SCCS Notes of Guidance for the testing of the cosmetic ingredients and their safety evaluation has been circulated for SCCS comment. A revised proposal is foreseen for adoption at the December Plenary meeting.

#### 5. DRAFT OPINIONS ON

### • Eco G+

Clarifications were received from the applicant. The draft opinion was discussed and is planned to be further discussed at the next WG meetings.

## • PHENOXYETHANOL

The toxicological part of the dossier was discussed and is planned to be further discussed at the next Plenary meeting (15 December 2015) as a request to the applicant has been agreed on and will be sent by the Secretariat.

## • VITAMIN A

The draft opinion was discussed and is planned to be further discussed at the next WG meetings.

# 6. COMMENTS ON OPINIONS

# • P97- CETYLPYRIDINIUM CL -SCCS/1548/15

Comments received have been discussed and replies prepared for finalisation at the next Plenary meeting.

# • METHYLISOTHIAZOLINONE (MI – P94) - SCCS/1557/15

Comments received have been discussed and replies prepared for finalisation at the next Plenary meeting.

# • PHMB – SCCS/1535/14:

A letter received from the applicant was discussed. The outcome and a reply to applicant are planned to be further discussed at the next Plenary meeting.

# • <u>D5-CYCLOPENTASILOXANE – SCCS/1549/15:</u>

The replies were discussed and are planned to be further discussed at the next WG meetings as a request to the applicant has been agreed on and will be sent by the Secretariat.

# • <u>S86-UV FILTER - SCCS/1556/15:</u>

Additional information has been received from the applicant and presented to the SCCS for follow-up at the next WG meetings.

# 7. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Next meetings: 19-20/01 and 24/02/2016 (AUDIO).

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