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Scientific Committee on Health, Environmental and Emerging Risks SCHEER
Working Group on electromagnetic fields (EMF)

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Minutes

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

The Chair welcomed the participants.

No apology was received.

The agenda was adopted without changes.

The Chair invited participants to declare any interest regarding matters on the agenda. None of the participants declared any interest conflicting with the matters on the agenda. One member declared an involvement in a project funded by public authority/governmental agency in the EU with universities/research institutes as partners and aiming at doing research on dosimetry for mice/rat under electromagnetic radiation. The WG did not identify any conflict and the Secretariat will check the details the member will send about this project.

2. List of points discussed

Selection criteria for external experts from the SCHEER Reserve List

The WG discussed and agreed on the selection criteria for external experts for the WG on EMF exposure and human health.

The WG went through the list of experts from the SCHEER Reserve list having replied positively and agreed on one expert to join the WG as full member participating in all meetings of the WG. Some ADHOC experts might be invited to participate in one or more meeting of the WG to discuss issue requiring a specific area of expertise.

As missing/additional expertise has been identified, the Secretariat will have to check the EU database of external experts. This is an open living database where any external expert can still apply: [Database of Experts | Public Health \(europa.eu\)](https://ec.europa.eu/health/scientific_committee_on_health/scientific_committee_on_health_public_health_database_of_experts) . Potential candidates will be collected soon, assessed and selected in consultation with the WG.

Should there be not enough suitable candidates in the EU database, a call for experts will be organised.

3. Next meeting(s)

To be confirmed.