

Scientific Committee on Consumer Safety (SCCS) WG on Cosmetic Ingredients

Venue: Luxembourg

Meeting date: 25 November 2014

Minutes

1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES

The Chair welcomed the participants. Five 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

No declaration of potential conflict of interest was made by participants.

4. NEW MANDATES

Dichloromethane – Submission IV: the mandate has been sent to SCCS and will be adopted at the next Plenary meeting (16/12)

5. INFORMATION FROM THE CHAIR, MEMBERS AND THE COMMISSION

SCCS Chair informed the group about:

- Endocrine disruptors: Commission launched a public consultation on criteria (deadline mid-January 2015). SCCS discussed the possibility to send a contribution.
- <u>Preliminary opinion II on Synthetic Biology</u> was approved by SCENIHR and SCCS is planning to adopt it at the next Plenary meeting.
- <u>Call for additional experts:</u> specific needs were identified by the Secretariat and the SCCS discussed the proposal. A call for experts is therefore planned to be published very soon, not later than early December.

6. DRAFT OPINIONS ON

• ALPHA AND BETA-ARBUTINS

The draft opinions were discussed and need further discussion at the next WG meeting (20/01).

• ADDENDUM TO THE OPINION ON ETHYL LAUROYL ARGINATE HCL-P95

The draft opinion was finalised and added on the agenda of the next Plenary meeting in December, for adoption.

• CYCLOPENTASILOXANE – D5

The draft opinion is still expecting some contributions and needs further discussion at the next WG meeting.

• <u>CETYLPYRIDINIUM CL SUBM II – P97</u>

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• O-PHENYLPHENOL -OPP

The draft opinion was discussed and needs further discussion at the next WG meeting.

7. COMMENTS ON OPINIONS

• POLY(HEXAMETHYLENE) BIGUANIDE HYDROCHLORIDE OR POLYAMINOPROPYL BIGUANIDE (PHMB) – SCCS/1535/14

The revised version of the opinion has been discussed and needs additional contributions. It is planned to be finalised and adopted at the Plenary meeting in December.

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Next meetings: 20/01/2015, 04/03/2015.