

EUROPEAN COMMISSION HEALTH & CONSUMERS DIRECTORATE-GENERAL

Public Health and Risk Assessment **Risk assessment**

Scientific Committee on Consumer Safety

15th meeting of the WG 'Nanomaterials in Cosmetic Products' – 14 September 2011

Minutes

1. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

The Chairman of the Working Group welcomed the participants and illustrated the aim of the meeting. There were two apologies.

2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

The agenda was adopted.

3. DECLARATION OF INTEREST ON MATTERS ON THE AGENDA

The chairman informed about his participation in the ICCR nano definition Working party and in the guidance on safety testing of nano-materials WG. However the members of the WG did not consider it a conflict of interest.

4. INFORMATION FROM CHAIRMAN/MEMBERS

The chairman briefed the members on the ongoing work.

5. ETH50- DISCUSSION ON RECEIVED REVISED SUPPLEMENT VI AND NEW EXPOSURE DATA

The opinion is foreseen to be presented for adoption at the next Plenary in September.

6. ZnO- Discussion of new submission

The WG identified points where further discussion is required in particular regarding the equivalence of uncoated and the differently coated Nanoparticles.

7. TiO₂

Nothing to report. Work will proceed once the additional submission is received.

8. MANDATE FOR A GUIDANCE DOCUMENT FOR THE SAFETY ASSESSMENT DOSSIERS OF NANOMATERIALS

The WG has received a mandate from the EC for the preparation of a Guidance Document for the safety assessment dossiers of nanomaterial. This mandate was presented to the members of the WG.

9. MEETING WITH INDUSTRY

Representatives from the industry consortium which submitted the present dossiers on TiO_2 and ZnO were invited by the WG in order to discuss some open questions regarding the ZnO dossier and the safety assessment of nanomaterial in cosmetics in general.

10. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

The date for the next meeting of the WG will be the 19 October.

Annex 1: agenda

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