



Luxembourg, 21 March 2022

**Scientific Committee on Health, Environmental and Emerging Risks SCHEER**  
**Working Group on "Draft Environmental Quality Standards for Priority Substances under the Water Framework Directive" and on "groundwater quality standards for proposed additional pollutants in the annexes to the Groundwater Directive (2006/118/EC)".**

14 March 2022, Luxembourg

**Minutes**

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

The Chair welcomed the participants. One 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 new interest related to the matters on the agenda

**2. Subgroup for priority substances under the Water Framework Directive**

The preliminary opinion on diclofenac was discussed and tasks have been allocated to members. JRC participated in the discussion to clarify some issues about human health data. It is planned to present the document in the plenary meeting, but it needs to be further discussed at the next WG meeting.

The comments received on neonicotinoids have been discussed and will be presented in plenary meeting, together with the final Opinion.

**3. Any Other Business**

Next meetings are planned on 6 & 26 April, 13 & 20 May, 14 & 27 June, 6 & 25 July 2022.