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(EURL ECVAM)**

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(ESAC)

36th Meeting of the ESAC

20-21 March 2012

EC JRC, Ispra, Italy

Building 58, Meeting room (VAM/ECVAM)

Draft Agenda

Day 1 – Tuesday 20.3.2012

9:00 to 18:00

| Time | Description | Information, Discussion, Decision | Relevant documents |
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| 8:15 | Bus transfer from hotel to JRC | | |
| 9:00 - 9:20 | Opening of the ESAC, Welcome and tour de table Agenda Point 1. Adoption of the agenda | | |
| 9:20 - 10:00 | Agenda Point 2. ESAC opinion 3T3 NRU for acute toxicity testing Final discussion/adoption of draft ESAC opinion 3T3 NRU for acute toxicity testing | Discussion Decision | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Draft ESAC opinion• ESAC WG report (containing ESAC request) |
| 10:00-10:30 | Coffee Break | | |
| 10:30 – 11:30 | Agenda Point 3. Follow-up report on the ongoing review of the Keratinosens and DPRA test methods for skin sensitisation <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Timelines, communications, outlook ESAC WG / ESAC work• Review findings and issues so far | Information Discussion | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ESAC Request Keratinosens• Communications to Givaudan• New timelines (Keratinosens/DPRA) |
| 11:30 – 12:15 | Agenda Point 4. Upcoming ESAC Review of the ECVAM Performance Standards on Cytosensor Microphysiometer | Discussion Decision | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ESAC Request Review of CM PS• Draft ECVAM Performance Standards for the CM test method |
| 12.15 - 13.30 | Lunch | | |
| 13:30 – 14:30 | Agenda Point 5. ECVAM's approach for advancing and prioritising test methods <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presentation of the approach | Information Discussion | |
| 14:30 – 16:00 | 5. continued <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Endpoint Status Appraisal "Skin Sensitisation" and proposed test methods under evaluation at ECVAM• Presentation of transactivation assays for assessing (ant)agonistic activity of chemicals on ER/AR receptors | Information Discussion | |

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| 16.00 - 16.30 | Coffee Break | | |
| 16:30 – 17:45 | <p>5. continued</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Endpoint Status Appraisal "Repeated-Dose Toxicity" Endpoint Status Appraisal "Genotoxicity and Carcinogenicity" Endpoint Status Appraisal "Toxicokinetics" | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> JRC/SANCO report (=review publication) on the cosmetics testing (Adler et al., 2011) |
| 17:45-18:00 | Wrap up and closure of day 1 | | |
| 18:15 | Bus transfer from JRC to the Hotel | | |
| 20:00 | Business dinner | | |

Day 2 – Wednesday 21.3.2012

9:00 to 16:30

| Time | Description | Information, Discussion, Decision | Relevant documents |
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| 8:15 | Bus transfer hotel to JRC | | |
| 9:00 - 9:45 | <p>Agenda Point 6. Upcoming ESAC Review of the BHAS Cell Transformation Assay</p> | Information Discussion | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ESAC Request BHAS CTA |
| 9:45 -10:30 | <p>Agenda Point 7. ECVAM-coordinated Zebrafish Embryotox study – possible upcoming ESAC review</p> | Information Discussion | |
| 10:30 - 11:00 | Coffee Break | | |
| 11:00 - 12:00 | <p>Agenda Point 8. Activity report of ECVAM</p> | Information Discussion | |
| 12:00 – 12:30 | <p>Agenda Point 9. ESAC operations, RoP update, Term of office</p> | Information Discussion | |
| 12:30 - 13:30 | Lunch break | | |
| 13:30 – 15:30 | <p>Agenda Point 10. Updates from ICATM partners and OECD (20' plus 10' discussion each):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> JaCVAM KoCVAM NICEATM/ICCVAM OECD | Information Discussion | |
| 16:00 | A.O.B | | |
| 16:15-16:30 | Wrap up and closure of the meeting | | |
| 16:30 | <p>Coffee break and taxis to the airport/hotel. Individual transport times are available for information in the meeting room.</p> | | |