

Parma, 24 November 2010

PANEL ON DIETETIC PRODUCTS, NUTRITION AND ALLERGIES

Minutes of the 6th meeting of the Claims Sub-Working Group 3 on bone, teeth and connective tissue

Barcelona, 11 October 2010

(agreed by the WG on 24 November 2010)

Participants

WG Experts: Olivier Bruyère, Albert Flynn (chair), Ingegerd Johansson, Jukka Meurman, Hildegard Przyrembel.

EFSA: Silvia Valtueña Martínez

1. Welcome and apologies

The Chair welcomed the participants. Apologies were received from Rikke Andersen.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

In accordance with EFSA's Policy on Declarations of Interests, EFSA screened the Annual Declaration of interest (ADoI) and the Specific Declaration of interest (SDoI) filled in by the experts invited for the present meeting. At the beginning of the meeting, experts were also asked by the chair to declare any interests in relation to the agenda items.

No conflicts of interests related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process or at the beginning of the meeting.

4. Discussions

Some issues regarding the general principles for the evaluation of art.13 claims in relation to bone, teeth and joint health were addressed. Draft opinions in the agenda were discussed and amended as appropriate. The work plan was discussed and some workload will be distributed in the following weeks in agreement with the chair.

5. Next meeting date

The date and modality of the next meeting of this sub-WG will be decided depending on the progress made in the evaluation of the article 13 list.

Parma, 12 May 2009

PANEL ON DIETETIC PRODUCTS, NUTRITION AND ALLERGIES

Action Report of the 5th meeting of the Claims Sub-Working Group 3 on bone, teeth and connective tissue

Parma, 12 May 2009

(adopted by the WG on 12 May 2009)

Participants

WG Experts: **Rikke Andersen, Albert Flynn (chair), Ingegerd Johansson, Jukka Meurman, Hildegard Przyrembel.**

European Commission: -

EFSA: **Silvia Valtueña Martínez**

1. Welcome and apologies

The Chair welcomed the participants. Apologies were received from Olivier Bruyère

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

EFSA secretariat screened the ADoI and SDoI filled in by the scientific experts invited at this meeting in accordance with EFSA's Policy on Declarations of Interests.

With regard to the ADoI, SDoI and this meeting no other interest than those already declared in the ADoI or in a previous SDoI and screened by EFSA in accordance with its Policy on Declarations of Interests and implementing documents thereof was declared by the experts.

4. Discussions

Some issues regarding the general principles for the evaluation of art.13 claims in relation to bone, teeth and joint health were addressed. Draft opinions in the agenda were extensively discussed and some workload distributed.

Parma, 6 April 2009

PANEL ON DIETETIC PRODUCTS, NUTRITION AND ALLERGIES

Action Report of the 4th meeting of the Claims Sub-Working Group 3 on bone, teeth and connective tissue

Parma, 24-25 March 2009

Participants

WG Experts: **Rikke Andersen, Olivier Bruyère, Albert Flynn (chair), Ingegerd Johansson, Jukka Meurman, Hildegard Przyrembel.**

European Commission: -

EFSA: **Silvia Valtueña Martínez**

1. Welcome and apologies

The Chair welcomed the participants.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

EFSA secretariat screened the ADoI and SDoI filled in by the scientific experts invited at this meeting in accordance with EFSA's Policy on Declarations of Interests.

With regard to the ADoI, SDoI and this meeting no other interest than those already declared in the ADoI or in a previous SDoI and screened by EFSA in accordance with its Policy on Declarations of Interests and implementing documents thereof was declared by the experts.

4. Discussions

The group was updated on the status of the evaluation of the Art.13 list. Draft opinions on the evaluation of article 13 claims in the agenda were extensively discussed and some workload was distributed.

Parma, 6 February 2009

PANEL ON DIETETIC PRODUCTS, NUTRITION AND ALLERGIES

Action Report of the 3th meeting of the Claims Sub-Working Group 3 on bone, teeth and connective tissue

Copenhagen, 30 January 2009

Participants

WG Experts: **Rikke Andersen, Olivier Bruyère, Ingegerd Johansson, Albert Flynn**
(chair) **Hildegard Przyrembel.**

Apologies : **Jukka Meurman**

European Commission: -

EFSA: **Silvia Valtueña Martínez**

1. Welcome and apologies

The Chair welcomed the participants. Apologies were received from Jukka Meurman.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

Olivier Bruyère declared an interest related to the claims on glucosamine and joint health and did not take part in the discussion. This interest had already been declared in the annual DoI of 2008 and in the specific DoI for this meeting. There were no other additional interests raised to those already declared in the annual DoI in relation to this meeting.

4. Discussions

The group was updated on the status of the evaluation of the Art.13 list. Draft opinions on the evaluation of article 13 claims in the agenda were extensively discussed, some workload was distributed and additional meetings were scheduled.

Parma, 7 November 2008

PANEL ON DIETETIC PRODUCTS, NUTRITION AND ALLERGIES

Action Report of the 2nd meeting of the Claims Sub-Working Group 3 on bone, teeth and connective tissue

Frankfurt Airport, 7 November 2008

Participants

WG Experts: **Rikke Andersen, Olivier Bruyère, Ingegerd Johansson, Hildegard Przyrembel (chair).**

Apologies : **Jean Louis Bresson, Albert Flynn.**

European Commission: **-**

EFSA: **Silvia Valtueña Martínez**

1. Welcome and apologies

The Chair welcomed the participants. Apologies were received from Jean-Louis Bresson and Albert Flynn.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

Olivier Bruyère declared an interest related to the claims on glucosamine and joint health and did not take part in the discussion. This interest had already been declared in the annual DoI of 2008 and in the specific DoI for this meeting. There were no other additional interests raised to those already declared in the annual DoI in relation to this meeting.

4. Discussions

The group was updated on the status of the Art.13 list, including the screening criteria and timeframe for publication. Draft opinions on the evaluation of article 13 claims in the agenda were extensively discussed and some additional workload was distributed.

Parma, 24 July 2008

PANEL ON DIETETIC PRODUCTS, NUTRITION AND ALLERGIES

Action Report of the 1st meeting of the Claims Sub-Working Group 3 on bone, teeth and connective tissue

Frankfurt Airport, 23 July 2008

Participants

WG Experts: **Rikke Andersen, Olivier Bruyère, Albert Flynn (chair), Ingegerd Johansson, Hildegard Przyrembel.**

Apologies : **Jean Louis Bresson**

European Commission: **-**

EFSA: **Silvia Valtueña Martínez**

1. Welcome and apologies

The Chair welcomed the participants. Apologies were received from Jean-Louis Bresson.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

There were no other additional interests raised to those already declared in the annual DoI in relation to this meeting.

4. Discussions

The role of EFSA in the implementation of Regulation (EC) No. 1924/2006 and the particular tasks assigned to this Claims Sub-Working Group 3 related to bone, teeth and connective tissue were explained and discussed. The work plan was discussed and some workload distributed.