



AOAC INTERNATIONAL

Stakeholder Panel for Infant Formula and Adult Nutritionals (SPIFAN)

Meeting at the Gaithersburg Marriott Washingtonian Center

9751 Washingtonian Boulevard, Gaithersburg MD 20878, USA

STAKEHOLDER PANEL - DRAFT MEETING AGENDA

Thursday, March 14, 2019

Meeting Start Time: 9:00AM (Eastern US)

SPIFAN Chair: Darryl Sullivan

(Eurofins Food Integrity and Innovation)

Location: C/D/E

(Registration Opens at 6:30AM)

I. INTRODUCTION (Sullivan)

Darryl Sullivan (Eurofins) will call the Stakeholder Panel meeting to order and introduce/welcome all participants. In addition, the AOAC policies for Antitrust, Volunteer Conflict of Interest, and Use of Association Name and Insignia will be reviewed.

II. GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

a. AOAC/ISO/IDF Cooperative Update

Marcel de Vreeze (ISO/NEN) and Steve Holroyd (IDF/Fonterra) will share updates on the updated agreement between AOAC, ISO and IDF to develop standards.

b. AOAC India Section

Palmer Orlandi (AOAC) will update stakeholders on the AOAC India Section meeting in February 2019, including any priorities or new opportunities of interest to SPIFAN.

c. AOAC China Section

Cheng-zhu Liang (AOAC China Section) will provide an update to stakeholders on the evaluation of GB standards for food safety.

d. Codex Updates

i. Status of SPIFAN Methods in Codex Process

Robert Rankin (INCA) to provide an update on the status of methods in the SPIFAN process.

ii. Potential Enhancements to SPIFAN/Codex Process

Douglas Balentine (US Delegate to CCNFSDU/US FDA) will discuss challenges with the existing process for introducing methods for CCNFSDU consideration and explore with the Stakeholder Panel potential process improvements /enhancements

Greg Noonan (US Delegate to CCMAS/US FDA) will discuss challenges with the existing process for introducing methods for CCMAS consideration and explore with the Stakeholder Panel potential process improvements /enhancements.

iii. **Update on CODEX STAN 234-1999 Revisions to Dairy Methods**

Greg Noonan (US Delegate to CCMAS/US FDA) will provide an update on the status of the review of dairy methods in CODEX STAN 234-1999 by the electronic working group of CCMAS.

III. UPDATE ON THE NIST STANDARD REFERENCE MATERIALS (SRM) (Phillips)

Melissa Phillips (NIST) will update the stakeholder panel on the status of the NIST SRM.

IV. UPDATE ON PROFICIENCY TESTING (Fox)

Arlene Fox (AOAC) will provide an update on the AOAC Proficiency Testing (PT) project.

V. NUTRIENT WORKING GROUP UPDATES

a. Amino Acids*

Ping Feng (Wyeth/Nestlé)/Philip Haselberger (Abbott) will present proposed revisions to Standard Method Performance Requirements (SMPR®) for Determination of Selected Amino Acids in Infant and Adult/Pediatric Nutritional Formula (AOAC SMPR 2014.013).

b. GOS

Sean Austin (Nestlé) and Martine van Gool (FrieslandCampina) to present an update on a workshop that took place in December 2018 in the Netherlands to discuss GOS technologies.

c. Fluoride

Darryl Sullivan (Eurofins) to facilitate a discussion on the lack of fluoride method submissions to discuss and explore opportunities and options to help increase submission of methods.

VI. UPDATE ON EXPERT REVIEW PANEL (ERP) STATUS (Sullivan)

Darryl Sullivan (Eurofins) will provide an update on the methods submitted for review, the status of methods in MLT, the SPIFAN methods still in First Action, and next steps to be discussed at the upcoming AOAC SPIFAN Expert Review Panel meeting.

VII. TIMELINES/DEADLINES/WRAP-UP (Sullivan)

Darryl Sullivan (Eurofins) will provide a timeline of AOAC SPIFAN activities including upcoming deadlines, review of any action items, and additional questions.

MEETING ITINERARY:

REGISTRATION (6:30AM)

MEETING START TIME (9:00AM)

MORNING BREAK (11:00AM)

LUNCH ON YOUR OWN

*Requires a vote

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