

# Abbreviations

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BMD    benchmark dose

BMDL    benchmark dose lower confidence limit

COC    Committee on Carcinogenicity of Chemicals in Food, Consumer Products and the Environment

COM    Committee on Mutagenicity of Chemicals in Food, Consumer Products and the Environment

COT    Committee on Toxicity of Chemicals in Food, Consumer Products and the Environment

EFSA    European Food Safety Authority

EPA Environmental Protection Agency

FDA Food and Drug Administration

NAMs New approach methodologies

REACH Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals

VICH Veterinary International Conference on Harmonisation