

# COT Meeting: 6th July 2021

## Meeting Agenda

1. Apologies for absence
2. Draft minutes of May meeting TOX/MIN/2021/03
3. Matters arising
4. Position paper on the alternatives to conventional plastics for food & drinks packaging TOX/2021/33
5. The potential human health risks of bamboo bio-composites in food contact materials TOX/2021/34
6. Second draft statement on PFAS TOX/2021/35
7. Review of EFSA opinion on TiO<sub>2</sub> TOX/2021/36
8. Draft report on the synthesis and integration of epidemiological and toxicological evidence in risk assessments (SETE) TOX/2021/37
9. Sub-statement on the potential risks from exposure to microplastics: Oral route (First draft) TOX/2021/38
10. Draft EFSA Scientific Committee Opinion on scientific criteria for grouping chemicals into assessment groups
11. for human risk assessment of combined exposure to multiple chemicals. TOX/2021/39
12. Update on the work of other advisory committees - for information TOX/2021/40
13. Any other business
14. Chlorate TOX/2021/41

Next meeting of the Committee at 10.00am on Tuesday 7th September 2021.

## Matters arising:

- Plant based drinks: Proposed Joint COT and SAC Working Group (Reserved) TOX/2021/28
- Conclusions of the Overarching Statement and Addendum
- on the potential risks from contaminants in the diet of infants aged 12 to 60 months – Summary tables for SACN
- Editorial update on the conclusions on arsenic TOX/2021/29

- Addendum to the Statement on potential risks from ochratoxin A (OTA) in the diet of infants aged 0 to 12 months and children
- aged 1 to 5 years TOX/2021/30
- UK New Approach Methodologies Roadmap TOX/2021/31
- PBPK workshop
- Update on JEGs and Regulated products
- Interim Position Paper on ocean bound plastic (reserved) TOX/2021/32

## **Media discussed during the meeting**

Please see information on reserved items on the [Procedure for holding COT meetings in open session page](#)

### **TOX/MIN/2021/03**

Draft minutes of the meeting of the Committee at 10:00 on 4th May via Microsoft Teams

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### **TOX/2021/28**

Matters Arising: Plant based drinks -Proposed Joint COT and SAC Working Group (reserved)

### **TOX/2021/29**

Conclusions of the Statement and Addendum on risks of contaminants in diet of 1-5 years of age & SACN editorial updates on arsenic

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### **TOX/2021/30**

Addendum to the Statement on potential risks from ochratoxin A (OTA) in the diet of infants aged 0 to 12 months and children aged 1 to 5 years

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## **TOX/2021/31**

UK New Approach Methodologies Roadmap

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## **TOX/2021/32**

Matters Arising: Interim Position Paper on ocean bound plastic (reserved)

## **TOX/2021/33**

Position paper on the alternatives to conventional plastics for food & drinks packaging

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## **TOX/2021/34**

The potential human health risks of bamboo bio-composites in food contact materials

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## **TOX/2021/35**

Second draft statement on PFAS

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## **TOX/2021/36**

Review of EFSA opinion on TiO<sub>2</sub>

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[View Annex 2 Review of genotoxicity of Titanium Dioxide as PDF](#) (639.46 KB)

## **TOX/2021/37**

Draft report on the synthesis and integration of epidemiological and toxicological evidence in risk assessments (SETE)

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## **TOX/2021/38**

Sub-statement on the potential risks from exposure to microplastics: Oral route (First draft)

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## **TOX/2021/39**

Draft EFSA Scientific Committee Opinion on scientific criteria for grouping chemicals into assessment groups for human risk assessment of combined exposure to multiple chemicals

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## **TOX/2021/40**

Update on the work of other advisory committees - for information

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## **TOX/2021/41**

Any other business: Chlorate

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Meeting of the Committee at 10:00, Tuesday 6th July 2021

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## **Final minutes of the meeting of the Committee on 6th July 2021**

The final minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on Tuesday 6th July 2021

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