EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT

COMMITTEE ON THE ENVIRONMENT, PUBLIC HEALTH AND FOOD SAFETY

CO-ORDINATORS' MEETING

- not to be-treated in full committee - **IN CAMERA**

Thursday, 29 September 2016, 9.00-10.00 **Room PHS 3C050**

COORDINATORS' RESULTS

29.09.2016

Present:

Mr La Via, Chair

Mr Liese, Coordinator of the EPP group

Mr Groote, Coordinator of the S&D group

Ms Girling, Coordinator of the ECR group

Mr Torvalds, Acting Coordinator of the ALDE group

Ms Kyllonen, Acting Coordinator of the GUE/NLG group

Mr Eickhout, Coordinator of the Greens/EFA group

Mr Pedicini, Coordinator of the EFDD group

1. ADOPTION OF DRAFT AGENDA

The draft agenda was adopted in the form shown in these minutes.

2. CHAIR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

2.1 State of play of ratification of Paris Agreement

The Chair announced the likely timetable, should the ratification decision be approved by the Extraordinary Environment Council on 30 September:

- ENVI vote on Council text: 3 October evening
- plenary vote: 4 October
- formal approval by Council in written procedure
- deposit of EU instrument of ratification: 6 October

2.2 Meeting between the CCC and the College of Commissioners

The annual meeting between the CCC and the College of Commissioners on the Commission Work Programme will take place in Strasbourg on 3-4 October. As it was the case last year, the ENVI

Committee will be involved in two clusters (Jobs, Growth and Investment and Energy Union/Climate Change).

3. DECISIONS ON PROCEDURE

Reports

None

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Own-initiative reports

1. A European Strategy for Low-Emission Mobility

<u>Decision taken:</u> S&D Rapporteur (3 points). To insist on request for Rule 55 with TRAN

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Legislative opinions

2. Information exchange, early warning system and risk assessment procedure on new psychoactive substances

ENVI/8/07651 - ***I 2016/0261(COD) COM(2016)0547 - C8-0351/2016

Responsible: LIBE

<u>Decision taken:</u> EPP rapporteur (0,5 points)

3. Extension of the duration of the European Fund for Strategic Investments as well as the introduction of technical enhancements for that Fund and the European Investment Advisory Hub

ENVI/8/07823 - ***I 2016/0276(COD) COM(2016)0597 - C8-0375/2016

Responsible: ECON

<u>Decision taken:</u> No opinion

4. Promotion of Internet connectivity in local communities

ENVI/8/07868 - ***I 2016/0287(COD) COM(2016)0589 - C8-0378/2016

Responsible: ITRE

Decision taken: No opinion

Non-legislative opinions

5. JURI Implementation report on the application of Directive 2004/35/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 21 April 2004 on environmental liability with regard to the prevention and remedying of environmental damage

Decision taken: Greens/EFA rapporteur (2 points)

6. AFCO report on General Revision of Parliament's Rules of Procedure

<u>Decision taken:</u> Opinion (deadline for amendments (in EN only): 6 October at noon, vote: 12 October)

The Chair was mandated to write to the AFCO Chair requesting a postponment of the vote currently scheduled for 8 November. The AFCO

rapporteur will be invited to the ENVI meeting on 12 October.

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Documents received for information

7. Report from the Commission: Pharmacovigilance-related activities of Member States and the European Medicines Agency concerning medicinal products for human use (2012 – 2014) - COM(2016)0498

<u>Decision taken:</u> No further action needed, for information only

8. Report from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions on the implementation of Directive 2006/21/EC on the management of waste from extractive industries and amending Directive 2004/35/EC - COM(2016)0553

<u>Decision taken:</u>
No action needed, the report will be one of the main references for the ongoing report on Implementation of the Mining Waste Directive (2006/21/EC) (2015/2117(INI), Rapporteur Mr Hölvényi)

9. Report from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council on product claims made based on common criteria in the field of cosmetics - COM(2016)0580

Decision taken: No action needed, for information only

10. Report from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council on the development, validation and legal acceptance of methods alternative to animal testing in the field of cosmetics (2013-2015) - COM(2016)0599

<u>Decision taken:</u> No action needed, for information only

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Other documents received

11. Commission staff working document Evaluation Accompanying the document Report from the Commission to the Council and the European Parliament On the implementation of Directive 2007/2/EC of March 2007 establishing an Infrastructure for Spatial Information in the European Community (INSPIRE) pursuant to article 23 SWD(2016)0273

4. <u>DECISIONS ON URGENT MATTERS</u>

4.1 Invitation to Commissioner Bulc for an exchange of views in ENVI on the outcome of the ICAO Assembly on a global market-based measure

<u>Decision taken:</u> Coordinators decided to invite Commissioner Bulc, possibly together with

Commissioner Arias Canete, to discuss the outcome of the ICAO meeting

and the necessary follow-up at EU level.

- 4.2 ENVI missions in the first semester 2017
- 4.2.1 Missions to Agencies

<u>Decision taken:</u> Coordinators decided the following visits (max 3 days/2nights):

- *ECDC* (20-24 February)
- EMA (18-21 April
- ECHA (22-23 May)
- EFSA (18-22 September tbc)
 The composition of the delegations (max 3 MEPs) will be confirmed once
 the names of the contact persons for the second half of the legislature are
 known.

4.2.2 Missions other than Agencies

Decision taken:

Coordinators decided the following visits:

- China
- Tallinn and North-Estonia
- High-Level UN conference to support the implementation of SDG n.14, New York, US (5-9 June max 3 days + travel)

The dates, size and composition of the above delegations will be decided at next coordinators' meeting.

4.3 Petitions network

<u>Decision taken:</u> A deadline for political groups for proposing candidates was

set for <u>Tuesday</u>, 11 October at noon in view of a decision at the

October coordinators' meeting.

5. <u>DECISIONS RELATED TO NON LEGISLATIVE MATTERS</u>

5.1 Treatment of delegated/implementing acts

<u>Decision taken:</u> Postponed to next meeting

6. PROPOSALS FOR DECISION WITHOUT DEBATE

- 6.1 Decisions on procedure
- 6.1.1 Motions for resolution Rule 133
- 1. Motion for a European Parliament resolution with a request for actions aimed at spreading public awareness of the malnutrition risks in the EU and promoting screening programmes to identify vulnerable categories by Aldo Patriciello B8-0890/2016
- 2. Motion for a European Parliament resolution on the hazards of the indiscriminate use of insecticides by Aldo Patriciello B8-0959/2016
- 3. Motion for a European Parliament resolution on the recycling of European ships by Dominique Bilde, Steeve Briois B8-0981/2016

<u>Decision taken:</u> No follow-up needed. The Chair will reply accordingly to the author(s) of the motions for resolution.

6.1.2 Short-list of candidates for INI reports

None

6.2 Petitions for opinion

None

6.3 Public Hearings in the first semester 2017

<u>Decision taken:</u> To mandate the Chair to inform the CCC that authorisation for Public

Hearings will be requested, if necessary, on an ad-hoc individual basis.

7. POINTS FOR INFORMATION

7.1 On-going INI reports in ENVI

The file included the list of on-going INI reports.

7.2 Petitions for information

Petition N° 0195/2016 by O.B. (German) on the detailed labelling of ingredients in food products and its EU-wide standardisation.

7.3 Rolling check-list on reporting and review clauses in EU legislation

The updated rolling check-list was included in the file.

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

None

9. NEXT COORDINATORS' MEETING

Thursday, 13 October, 09.00 – 10.00