

## **Chemicals Regulation Division**

## One Day Seminar: Alternatives to in vivo testing for Plant Protection Products

## **PROGRAMME**

## 4<sup>th</sup> October 2017

09:00 -09:30	Registration and coffee
9:30 - 9:40	Welcome & Introduction
9:40 - 10:10	Why use alternative methods?
	Presented by CRD
	Pesticide regulation and data requirements.
	Legal framework. Article 62.
	Guidance versus Regulation
	Animal welfare regulation and 3Rs
	Interpreting the data requirements
10.10.10.10	Relevant dates
10:10 – 10:40	Alternative methods – Read across
	Presented by CRD
	Formulation comparisons
10:40 – 11:10	Allowable increases  Alternative methods – Calculation method
10:40 - 11:10	
	Presented by CRD
	Calculation software
	Safety data sheets Self classification versus harmonised classification
	Mixtures within mixtures
	Lack of information within SDS
	Interchangeable coformulants (several trade names)
11:10 – 11:30	Coffee
11:30 – 12:10	Alternative methods – In vitro skin and eye irritation
11.00 12.10	Presented by CRD and BASF
	Current in vitro OECD TGs
	Skin irritation/corrosion
	Eye irritation/corrosion
12:10 - 12:50	Alternative methods – In vitro skin sensitisation
12.00	Presented by Dr David Basketter
	Skin sensitisation
	Future developments
12:50 - 13:30	Lunch
13:30 - 14:10	Alternative methods - (Q)SAR
	Presented by Lhasa Ltd
14:10 - 14:30	Making the right choice – in vitro – in vivo – calculation
	method – read-across
	Presented by CRD
	Reliability of different methods
	Contradictory results
	Justifications for submitting in vivo studies
14:30 - 14:50	Coffee
14:50 – 15:20	Regulatory/Legal issues
	Presented by CRD
	Adverse data under Article 56
	Studies conducted for non-EU authorities or other
	Member States

	Amateur products
15:20 - 16:00	Industry perspective
	Presented by BASF and Dow AgroSciences
16:00 - 16:30	Summary and Q & A

Please note timings are approximate and we reserve the right to amend the content if appropriate.