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*Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety*

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## MINUTES

Meeting of Monday, 24 April 2006, from 15:00 to 18:30,  
and Tuesday, 25 April 2006, from 9:00 to 12:30  
BRUSSELS

The meeting opened at 15.12 on Monday 24 April 2006, with Karl-Heinz Florenz (Chairman) in the chair.

**1. Adoption of agenda** ENVI\_OJ (2006)0424\_1v01-00

The agenda was adopted.

**2. Chairman's announcements**

The chairman announced that an additional meeting was required. The coordinators would try to fix a supplementary date.

**3. Approval of minutes of the meetings of:**

21-23 February 2006 in Brussels	PE 370.191v01-00
21 March 2006 in Brussels	PE 371.719v01-00
3 April 2006 in Strasbourg	PE 371.968v01-00

The minutes were approved.

**4. Reducing the climate change impact of aviation**

ENVI/6/32454	PR - PE 371.946v02-00
2005/2249(INI)      COM(2005)0459	

**Rapporteur:** Caroline Lucas (Verts/ALE)

Consideration of a draft report	
Responsible: ENVI - Caroline Lucas (Verts/ALE)	PE 371.946v02-00

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PE 372.195v01-00

Opinion: TRAN - Jeanine Hennis-Plasschaert (ALDE) PE 367.758v01-00  
PE 371.889v01-00

**Speakers:** Rapporteur, Peter Liese, Chris Davies, Vittorio Prodi, Johannes Blokland, Kathy Sinnott, John Bowis, Anders Wijkman, Niels Ladefoged (Commission, GD ENV), chairman and rapporteur.

**Timetable**

Deadline for tabling amendments: **3 May 2006, 12:00**

Adoption in committee: 29/30 May 2006

Adoption in plenary: July 2006

**5. Air quality**

**5.1 Thematic strategy on air pollution**

ENVI/6/33972 PR - PE 370.247v01-00  
2006/2060(INI) COM(2005)0446

**Rapporteur:** Dorette Corbey (PSE)

Consideration of a draft report

Responsible: ENVI - Dorette Corbey (PSE) PE 370.247v01-00

Opinion: ITRE  
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**Speakers:** Rapporteur, Richard Seeber, Holger Krahmer, Thomas Ulmer, Anders Wijkman, Riitta Myller, Vittorio Prodi, Ms. Klingbeil (Commission, GD ENV) and rapporteur.

**Timetable**

Deadline for tabling amendments: **4 May 2006 , 12:00**

Adoption in committee: 29/30 May 2006

Adoption in plenary: June 2006

**5.2 Ambient air quality and cleaner air for Europe**

ENVI/6/31655 PE 371.908v01-00  
\*\*\*I 2005/0183(COD) COM(2005)0447 C6-0356/2005

**Rapporteur:** Holger Krahmer (ALDE)

Consideration of a draft report

Responsible: ENVI - Holger Krahmer (ALDE) PE 371.908v01-00

Opinion: JURI

**Speakers:** Rapporteur, Anja Weisgerber, Gyula Hegyi, Johannes Blokland, Peter Liese, Dorette Corbey, Ria Oomen-Ruijten, Ms. Klingbeil (Commission, GD ENV) and rapporteur.

**Timetable**

Deadline for tabling amendments: **4 May 2006 , 12:00**

Adoption in committee: 29/30 May 2006

Adoption in plenary: June 2006

## 6. Implementation of EU food safety legislation in Member States

ENVI/6/34196

DT - PE 371.883v01-00

Exchange of views

**Speakers:** Paola Testori (Commission, GD SANCO), John Bowis, Dagmar Roth-Behrendt, Hiltrud Breyer, Paola Testori, Ms. Villamar (EFSA), Dagmar Roth-Behrendt, Ms. Villamar and Ms. Testori.

The meeting adjourned at 18:30 and resumed on Tuesday 25 April 2006 at 9:10 with Karl-Heinz Florenz (Chairman) in the chair.

## 7. Launching of a debate on a community approach towards eco-labelling schemes for fisheries products

ENVI/6/31139

PA - PE 368.005v01-00

AM - PE 371.740v01-00

2005/2189(INI) COM(2005)0257

**Rapporteur:** Frédérique Ries (ALDE)

Adoption of a draft opinion

**Speakers:** Rapporteur, chairman (to welcome Glenis Willmott, who succeeded Phillip Whitehead).

**Amendments adopted:** 1, 2, 3, 4(2), 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16

**Amendments rejected:** 4(1), 15

**Amendments fallen:** 8, 14

The draft opinion, as amended, was adopted: for: 30; against: 1; abstention(s): 0.

## 8. Passenger-car related taxes

ENVI/6/29519

PA - PE 362.840v01-00

AM - PE 367.918v01-00

\* 2005/0130(CNS) COM(2005)0261 C6-0272/2005

**Rapporteur:** Claude Turmes (Verts/ALE)

Adoption of a draft opinion

**Speakers:** Rapporteur, Anja Weisgerber, Matthias Groote, John Bowis (on the structure of the voting list), chairman (on the contribution of Mr. Bowis), Chris Davies and rapporteur.

*Amendments adopted:* 1, 2, 6, 9, 11, 16, 24-26, 29-31, 32(1), 34

*Amendments rejected:* 10, 12, 13, 22, 23, 27, 28, 32(2), 33, 35

*Amendments fallen:* 21

The draft opinion, as amended, was adopted: for: 36; against: 13; abstention(s): 1.

## **9. Protection of groundwater against pollution**

ENVI/6/33560

PR - PE 367.996v01-00  
AM - PE 370.253v01-00

\*\*\*II 2003/0210(COD) 12062/1/2005 C6-0055/2006  
T6-0145/2005

*Rapporteur:* Christa Kläß (EPP-ED)

Adoption of a draft recommendation for second reading

*Speaker:* Rapporteur

*Amendments adopted:* 1-6, 8-18, 20-23, 24(2), 25, 26-31, 33, 35, 38, 39, 41, 42, 44, 45, 51, 54, 61, 62, 65, 66, 69

*Amendments rejected:* 24(1), 36, 37, 40, 53, 58

*Amendments withdrawn:* 19

*Amendments fallen:* 7, 63, 64, 67

The draft recommendation for second reading, as amended, was adopted unanimously with one abstention.

## **10. Natural disasters (fires, droughts and floods) - environmental aspects**

ENVI/6/31161

PR - PE 370.246v01-00  
AM - PE 371.874v01-00

2005/2192(INI)

*Rapporteur:* Edite Estrela (PSE)

Adoption of a draft report

*Speaker:* Rapporteur

*Amendments adopted:* par. 4, oral am. to par. 10, 1-11, 13-17, 19(1), 20, 22, 23, 28-31, 33(1)

*Amendments rejected:* 12, 18, 19(2), 21, 24, 32

*Amendments fallen:* 25-27

The draft report, as amended, was adopted: for: 35; against: 4; abstention(s): 1.

*Speakers:* Chairman (on the voting procedure) and John Bowis (on the vote).

## 11. Eradication of certain transmissible spongiform encephalopathies (amendment of the regulation)

ENVI/6/27733

PR - PE 368.022v02-00

AM - PE 370.276v01-00

\*\*\*I 2004/0270B(COD) COM(2004)0775 C6-0223/2004

**Rapporteur:** Dagmar Roth-Behrendt (PSE)

Adoption of a draft report

**Speakers:** Rapporteur, Mojca Drčar Murko, Avril Doyle, Horst Schnellhardt, Caroline Jackson

**Amendments adopted:** 1-21, 23-32, 56, 62-64, 35, 2-5 AGRI(2), 6 AGRI(1)

**Amendments rejected:** 33, 34, 36, 37, 46, 47, 49, 51(2), 54(2), 1 AGRI, 6 AGRI(2), 12 AGRI

**Amendments withdrawn:** 22, 38, 41, 42

**Amendments fallen:** 39, 40, 43-45, 48(1,2), 51(1), 52, 53, 54(1), 55, 58-61, 65, 2 AGRI(1), 11 AGRI, 14 AGRI

The draft report, as amended, was adopted: for: 44; against: 2; abstention(s): 2.

## 12. Oral questions to the Commission

### 12.1 Oral Question 3/6/2006 by Mr Karl-Heinz Florenz on import of wild birds in the European Union

ENVI/6/34635

CM - PE 371.727v01-00

Commission's reply to an oral question

**Speakers:** Mr. Eggink (Commission, GD ENV), John Bowis, chairman, Mr. Eggink, chairman, Caroline Jackson and Mr. Eggink.

### 12.2 Oral question 4/6/2006 by Mr Dimitrios Papadimoulis on the commitments from the Beijing Conference on Avian and Human Pandemic Influenza

ENVI/6/35157

CM - PE 371.835v01-00

Commission's reply to an oral question

**Speakers:** Mr. Karcher (Commission, GD SANCO), Dimitrios Papadimoulis, John Bowis and Mr. Karcher.

### 12.3 Oral question 5/6/2006 by Mr John Bowis on clinical trials

ENVI/6/35715

CM - PE 372.090v01-00

Commission's reply to an oral question

*Speaker:* Mr. Terberger (Commission, GD ENTR)

Johannes Blokland, (Vice-Chairman) took the chair at 11:35.

*Speakers:* John Bowis, Linda McAvan, Dagmar Roth-Behrendt, Jules Maaten, Peter Liese and Mr. Terberger.

**13. Other business**

None.

**14. Coordinators' meeting**

(IN CAMERA)

**15. Date and place of next meeting**

3 May 2006, from 15:00 to 18:30

4 May 2006, from 9:00 to 12:30 and from 15:00 to 18:30

Brussels

The meeting closed at 12:30.

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