ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON THE MICROBIOLOGICAL SAFETY OF FOOD

MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 46^{TH} MEETING (ACM/MIN/46 (REV.1)

The attached schedule records action taken on the various matters arising from the minutes of the Committee's forty-sixth meeting, held on 5 December 2002.

Secretariat March 2003

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RECORD OF MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 46^{TH} MEETING (ACM/MIN/46 (REV.1)

ACM/MIN/46 (REV.1) PARAGRAPH	TOPIC	ACTION
6.12	FSA initiatives on imported food.	The FSA has agreed to brief the Horizon Scanning <i>Ad Hoc</i> Group on Imported Foods.
7.9	Campylobacter Working Group.	The Chairman wrote to the Acting Chief Executive of the FSA on 24 January 2003, conveying the Committee's impressions from the visits to Denmark and Norway (see ACM/618).
7.14	FSA consultation on its Campylobacter strategy.	See ACM/619.
8.3	Ad Hoc Group on Sewage Sludge : progress report on risk assessment for pathogens in biosolids.	See ACM/623.
10.8, third bullet point, 10.9	FSA survey of Salmonella contamination of shell eggs.	See ACM/625.
11.1	Dates of future meetings.	See ACM/624.

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12.1	ACMSF Annual Report 2002.	 Second draft cleared with Members in January 2003. Report submitted to FSA Chairman on 3 February 2003. FSA Chairman's agreement to publication received on 12 February 2003. Secretariat is currently arranging for the report to be printed.
13.4	Horizon scanning Ad Hoc Groups.	 Changing Social Habits Group met on 29 January. Further meetings scheduled for 30 April and 10 September 2003 Imported Foods Group and Newly-Emerging Pathogens Group will both meet in 2003.