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Work programme for the European Union Reference Laboratory for Feed Additives, 2014

Overview on major objectives for the period January - December 2014

Important note: The EURL-FA is operated under two legal frames, namely under Regulation EC (No) 1831/2003 (authorisation activities) and under Regulation EC (No) 882/2004 (control activities). The work programme proposed here applies exclusively to the control activities.

The proposed objectives reflect a follow up of the first and second proficiency tests for the determination coccidiostats in compound feedingstuffs conducted by the EURL FA in 2012 and 2013. For the exercise for 2014, the coccidiostats will be analysed at carry-over and/or authorized level; the design (selection of analytes, concentration, matrix) will reflect the actions to be taken as a follow-up of the 2012 and 2013 exercises.

- 1. Organisation of a proficiency test for the determination of coccidiostats in compound feedingstuffs (Deadline: October 2014) and report on the organisation and outcome of the mentioned collaborative trial (Deadline: November 2014).
- 2. Organisation of the third workshop of the EURL for Feed Additives (control) with participation of National Reference Laboratories and report on this activity and its outcome (Deadline December 2014).