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List of Participants

MEMBERS

Prof. P. Jensen (chairman)

Prof. D. Broom (first vice chair)

Dr. R. Dantzer (a.m. only)

Dr. P. Le Neindre

Dr. H. Blokhuis

COMMISSION

Dr. J. Serratos

Mr. R. Horgan

Dr. J. Claxton (p.m. only)

APOLOGIES

Dr. D. Morton

Prof. M. Verga

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1. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

The agenda was adopted after inclusion of points 5 and 6.

2. ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE

The summary record of the meeting of the sub committee of 26 November was adopted.

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No member reported any conflicts of interest relating to the items under discussion.

4. DISCUSSION OF A DRAFT REPORT ON “THE WELFARE OF ANIMALS DURING TRANSPORT” FOR POSSIBLE APPROVAL

The sub-committee went through the report and approved the document after amendments and editorial changes. The approved version will be circulated to all members of SCAHAW as soon as possible. The final report will be presented to the SCAHAW plenary for possible adoption on February 5th.

5. DISCUSSION ON COMMENTS RECEIVED FOLLOWING ADOPTION OF THE REPORT ON “THE WELFARE OF ANIMALS KEPT FOR FUR PRODUCTION”

A draft reply to comments received will be prepared and presented to the next plenary meeting of the Scientific Committee on Animal Health and Welfare.

6. MISCELLANEOUS

6.1. John Claxton of D.G. Research provided an overview of developments regarding the proposed “Sixth Framework Programme 2002-2006”. Scientific Committees are invited to propose what they consider to be priorities for future research.

6.2. The chairman of a new Working Group was nominated to consider the welfare aspects of the main systems of stunning and killing the main commercial species of animals.