

Meeting of the sub-group on poultry

Second meeting, 28 April 2022, 14:30-17:30 (Videoconference)

- AGENDA -

Chair of the meeting: Ms Kirsten Vornhagen, Unit 'Animal welfare, antimicrobial

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- 1. Topic: Develop ways to decrease negative impacts of selective breeding on the welfare of animals
 - 1.1. Currently applicable EU requirements (DG SANTE.G5)
 - 1.2. Introductory presentation, including presentation of Member State legislation (AVEC together with Denmark and Evangelia Sossidou)
 - 1.3. Discussion/ exchange of views
- 2. Topic: Prohibition of the use of cages (in particular the poultry species and categories referred to in the ECI 'End the Cage Age': laying hens, pullets, broiler breeders, layer breeders, quail, ducks and geese)
 - 2.1. Currently applicable EU requirements (DG SANTE.G5)
 - 2.2 Introductory presentation, including presentation of Member State legislation (EfA)
 - 2.2 Questions and Answers, Discussion/ exchange of views
- 3. Overall conclusions and next steps

