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**1<sup>st</sup> EMEA Workshop for Micro, Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises (SMEs)**  
*“Navigating the Regulatory Maze”*

**DRAFT AGENDA**

**2 February 2007, 9.30-17.00**

7, Westferry Circus, Canary Wharf, London E14 4HB  
EMEA 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, Conference Room –3A

**~ Registration +Coffee ~**  
9.00-9.30

**Chairperson:** Dr. Patrick Le Courtois, Head of Pre-Authorisation Human Unit

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| <b>1.</b>                                          | <b>INTRODUCTION</b>                                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>9:30-10:20</b>  |
| 1.1                                                | <i>Introduction to the EMEA</i><br>Mr. Martin Harvey, Head of Sector, Executive Support                                                                                                                     |                    |
| 1.2                                                | <i>Update from the SME Office</i><br>Ms. Melanie Carr, SME Office                                                                                                                                           |                    |
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| <b>2.</b>                                          | <b>ORPHAN &amp; PAEDIATRIC INCENTIVES</b>                                                                                                                                                                   | <b>10:20-11:15</b> |
| 2.1                                                | <i>Orphan Designation - Key Concepts and Evaluation Criteria</i><br>Dr. Jordi Llinares-Garcia, Scientific Administrator                                                                                     |                    |
| 2.2                                                | <i>Implementation of the Paediatric Regulation</i><br>Dr. Nathalie Seigneuret, Scientific Administrator                                                                                                     |                    |
| 2.3                                                | <i>Questions and Discussion moderated by SME Representative</i><br>Ms. Marie-Christine Fortun, Director of Regulatory Affairs, Orphan Europe and Member of the EBE Regulatory & Technical Affairs Committee |                    |
| <br><b>~ Coffee Break ~</b><br>11:15-11:35<br><br> |                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                    |
| <b>3.</b>                                          | <b>EARLY ADVICE FROM THE EMEA</b>                                                                                                                                                                           | <b>11:35-12:30</b> |
| 3.1                                                | <i>Scientific Advice</i><br>Dr. Marco Cavaleri, Scientific Administrator<br>Dr. Karen Quigley, Scientific Administrator                                                                                     |                    |
| 3.2                                                | <i>Innovation Task Force</i><br>Dr. Marisa Papaluca, Deputy Head of Sector Safety & Efficacy                                                                                                                |                    |
| 3.3                                                | <i>Questions and Discussion moderated by SME Representative</i><br>Ms. Anita Osbourne, Director of Regulatory Affairs, Rheoscience and Chairperson of the EBE Regulatory & Technical Affairs Committee      |                    |

**~ Lunch in EMEA's Self-Service Restaurant ~**  
12.30-13.45

**4. REGULATORY ISSUES IN THE RUN UP TO MARKETING AUTHORISATION 13:45-15:00**

- 4.1** *Pre-submission Issues and EMEA meeting opportunities*  
Ms. Hilde Boone, Scientific Administrator  
Dr. Karen Quigley, Scientific Administrator
- 4.2** *Submission of the dossier, update on Electronic Submissions and PIM*  
Mr. Paul Kershaw, Communications and Networking
- 4.3** *Compliance Issues – Preparing for Inspections*  
Mr. Brendan Cuddy, Scientific Administrator from EMEA Inspections Sector
- 4.4** *Questions and Discussion moderated by SME Representative*  
Mr. Jean-Pierre Girre, Innate Pharma, Chair of Developers and Chief Medical Officers (CMOs) Working Group, France Biotech

**~ Coffee Break ~**

15:00-15:20

**5. MARKETING AUTHORISATION & BEYOND 15:20-16:35**

- 5.1** *Marketing Authorisation Review Process*  
Dr. Evdokia Korakianiti, Scientific Administrator
- 5.2** *Maximum Residue Limits for Veterinary Products*  
Dr. Jordi Torren Edo, Scientific Administrator
- 5.3** *Pharmacovigilance & Risk Management*  
Dr. Francois Maignen, Principal Scientific Administrator
- 5.4** *Questions and Discussion moderated by SME Representative*  
Dr. Johan Vanhemelrijck, Secretary General of EuropaBio's Emerging Enterprise Council

**~ Closing Remarks by Chairperson ~**

16:35-16:50