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February 11, 2015 PPDC 21st Century Toxicology/New Integrated Testing Strategies Workgroup Meeting Minutes

Time: 2:00-3:00 PM (EST)

Summary

The PPDC 21st Century Toxicology / New Integrated Testing Strategies Workgroup met for the group's bi-monthly meeting. An update was given on the Crop Life America *in vitro* project. EPA gave an update on the OPP workgroup formed to track and implement the metrics subgroup proposal recommendations accepted by the PPDC. The proposal detailed measurable goals that could be set as part of the implementation of metrics for progress on *in vitro* and alternative testing methods. The status of the Biomonitoring subgroup project on pesticide candidates for biomarker research and development was also discussed. The workgroup will hold its next regular bi-monthly meeting during the PPDC meetings in May 2015.

Attendees

Non-EPA: Patricia Bishop, Geoff Calvert, Caroline Cox, Cheryl Cleveland, Erik Janus, Matthew Keifer, Joel Patterson, Pat Quinn, Kristie Sullivan, Dave Tamayo

EPA: Elaine Cohen-Hubal, Anna Lowit, Jennifer McLain, Kristin Rury, Garland Waleko

Next Meeting

The regular, bi-monthly meeting will be held during the PPDC meetings, on May 13, 2015. A call-in number will be provided for those who are unable to attend in person.