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PPDC 21st Century Toxicology/New Integrated Testing Strategies Workgroup
Meeting Minutes

Time: 1:00-3:00 PM (EST)

Summary

The PPDC 21st Century Toxicology / New Integrated Testing Strategies Workgroup met for the group's bi-monthly meeting. The meeting focused on the results of preliminary discussions with researchers on pesticide candidates for biomarker research and development as recommended by the Biomonitoring subgroup. An update was also given on the Crop Life America *in vitro* project. EPA then 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 workgroup will hold its next regular bi-monthly meeting during the PPDC meetings in February 2015.

Attendees

Non-EPA: Patricia Bishop, Caroline Cox, Cheryl Cleveland, Erik Janus, Thomas Kellner, Amy Liebman, Tim Pastoor, Kristie Pullen, Pat Quinn, James Roberts, Virginia Ruiz, Jennifer Sass, Kristie Sullivan, Clare Thorpe.

Guests: Tom Osimitz and Rick Kingston

EPA: Anna Lowit, Jennifer McLain, Kristin Rury, Garland Waleko

Notable Issues/Actions/Commitments

Next Meeting

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