

Study tour to the Dutch Food and Consumer Product Safety Authority, Utrecht, Netherlands, 24/25 October 2012

Draft Agenda

23 October 2012	
	<p>Arrival at Schiphol Airport Amsterdam, in The Netherlands</p> <p>Mr. L.W.J. Wijnhamer, Coordinator International Visitor from the Ministry of Economic Affairs, Agriculture and Innovation (EL&I), Dutch Food and Consumer Product Safety Authority (VWA) will meet all at Schiphol Airport Amsterdam and accompany all to the Hotel in The Hague/Scheveningen.</p>

24 October 2012	
09.00 - 09.10	Welcome and introduction at the Head Office of the Dutch Food and Consumer Product Safety Authority (NVWA) in Utrecht
09.10- 09.20	Introduction of the Pre-accession participants
09.20 – 13.00	<p>Overall organisation of the Food Safety system in the Netherlands: Risk management, risk assessment and risk communication – institutions and actors involved and their cooperation, communication with the stakeholders on crises and etc.</p> <p>How risk assessment process is done in the Netherland – (data collection, collation, analysis, interpretation and dissemination; importance of food consumption data in exposure assessment/risk assessment process - e.g. food borne outbreaks reporting and investigation.</p> <p>Cooperation between the Dutch authorities and EFSA</p> <p>Discussion/questions</p>
13.00-14.00	<i>Lunch break</i>
14.00-15.00	Travelling to the NVWA-Laboratory in Wageningen

15.00-16.00	Visiting the NVWA-Laboratory in Wageningen
16.00-16.30	Discussion/questions
16.30	Return to the hotel in The Hague/Scheveningen

25 October 2012	
08.00 – 09.00	Travelling to Veal-slaughterhouse
09.00-12.00	<p>Visiting the Veal-slaughterhouse Introduction with the slaughterhouse (capacity, approval (local market/ export), risk control programmes (HACCP) microbiological criteria, official controls, waste management, Animal Welfare standards).</p> <p>On site visit.</p> <p>Discussion/questions.</p>
12.00 - 13.00	<i>Lunch break</i>
13.00 – 14.00	Travelling back to the Head Office of the Dutch Food and Consumer Product Safety Authority in Utrecht.
14.00-16.40	<p>Organisation of Food safety management system in the Netherland. The development and implementation of an integrated national food safety policy and strategy.</p> <p>Integrated Multi Annual National Control Plan & Annual Control Plan. Crisis management and contingency plans. Risk based control activity.</p>
16.40-17.00	Discussion/questions.
17.00	Return to the hotel in The Hague/Scheveningen.

26 October 2012	
	Departure from Schiphol Airport Amsterdam.