

## IFAH-EUROPE CONFERENCE 2009

### The 2010 review – 1 vision: 1 final step to 1 market?

Brussels Renaissance Hotel, 25 June 2009

#### Programme

On Wednesday, 24 June 2009, IFAH-Europe will hold its annual dinner (from 19.00 onwards) at the Brussels Renaissance hotel. We are pleased to announce that Mr. Pekka Pesonen, Secretary General of COPA-COGECA, will be the keynote speaker.

08.00 **Registration**

09.00 **Opening session**

#### **Introduction and welcome**

*Jochen Wieda, IFAH-Europe Chairman*

#### **The Community Animal Health Strategy and the future animal health regulation**

*Androula Vassiliou, European Health Commissioner (invited)*

*Rolf Eriksson, Swedish State Secretary for Agriculture*

09.30 **Session I: Objectives of the review in 2010**

*Chair: Jiri Bures, Czech Republic (HMA Presidency)*

#### **Stakeholders' view: Why we need a single market; why we need improved availability**

*Avril Doyle MEP*

#### **DG Enterprise's considerations for a review of the veterinary medicines legislation\***

*Martin Terberger, European Commission DG Enterprise*

#### **Questions and answers**

Coffee break (10.30)

11.00 **Session II: Possible solutions**

*Chair: Cristina Avendaño, Director of the Spanish Medicines Agency*

#### **The HMA Task Force reflection paper on opportunities for the review**

*Patrick Dehaumont, Chair of the Heads of Medicine Agencies' Task Force*

#### **The animal health industry's proposals towards the review**

*Neil Craven, IFAH-Europe*

12.00 **Panel discussion\*\***

Lunch (12.30)

13.30 **4 parallel workshops around the HMA reflection and the IFAH-Europe 1-1-1 concept**

1. How to achieve the objectives of a true single market for veterinary medicines?
2. How do we achieve 1 assessment & 1 decision?
3. How do we stimulate Innovation?
4. What measures do we need to take to improve access to veterinary medicines?

Coffee break (15.30)

16.00 **Closing session**

*Chair: Jochen Wieda, IFAH-Europe Chairman*

#### **Presentation of conclusions and recommendations**

*Rapporteurs of workshops*

#### **Closing words**

*Declan O'Brien, IFAH-Europe Managing Director*

17.15 **Cocktails**

\* including COM declaration

\*\* speakers from sessions I & II plus other invited opinion leaders