PROGRAMME FOR THE SEMINAR



Title: Contingency Planning – focus on: vaccination, animal welfare, wildlife and costs

Dates: 3 – 4 October 2018

Place: Hotel Pullman, Riga Old Town, Jēkaba iela 24, 1050 Latvia

08:30 -	Registration of participants
09:15	
09:15	Opening session
	Dr. Maris Balodis, Chief Veterinary Officer, Latvia
	President of the Nordic – Baltic Veterinary Contingency Group, Dr. Siri Løtvedt, Norway
09:30	Session I: Vaccination – vaccines and vaccination programmes
	Chairman: Dr. Edvins Olsevskis, Latvia
	Reporter: Hanna Lounela
09:30	Vaccines and vaccination against exotic animal diseases 2018
	Speaker: Professor Anette Bøtner, DTU, Denmark
10:15	Emergency vaccination with special reference to Lumpy skin disease
	Speaker: Dr. Alexandra Miteva, Bulgaria
11:00	Coffee break
11:20	Control of influenza in a One Health perspective – do we have the tools and are they used properly?
	Speaker: Professor Lars E. Larsen, DTU, Denmark

12:05	Questions and discussion related to Session I
12:15	Session II: animal welfare during disease outbreaks-legislative and practical aspects
	Chairman: Dr. Anna Huda, Denmark Reporter: Thomas Svensson
12:15	Stamping-out during foot and mouth disease emergency situations and animal welfare
	Speaker: Dr. Fred Landeg, UK
13:00	Lunch
14:00	Continuation of session II
14:00	Ensuring animal welfare during depopulation for disease control in the Nordic-Baltic countries
	Speaker: Dr. Hanna Lounela, Finland
14:40	Questions and discussion related to Session II
15:00	Session III : Wildlife – a reservoir for animal and zoonotic diseases
	Chairman: Dr. Maarja Kristian, Estonia Reporter: Anna Huda
15:00	African swine fever in wildlife: lessons learned
	Speaker: Dr. Paulius Busauskas, State Food and Veterinary Services, Lithuania
15:45 –	Coffee break
16:00	
16:15 –	Optional guided walk
17:15 19:00	Dinner
	Day 2
08:30	Session III: Wildlife – a reservoir for animal and zoonotic diseases
	Chairman: Dr. Maarja Kristian, Estonia Reporter: Anna Huda
08:30	Wildlife and vector-borne diseases
	Speaker: Dr. René Bødker, DTU, Denmark
09:10	Viral infections emerging from wildlife
	Speaker: Dr. Olli Vapalahti, Finland

09:45	Coffee break
10:05	Chronic wasting disease (CWD) in wildlife
	Speaker: Dr. Kristin Ruud Alvseike, Norwegian Food Safety Authority
10: 30	Questions and discussion related to Session III
10:45	Session IV: Costs – biosecurity and outbreaks
	Chairman: Dr. Sigridur Gisladottir, Iceland Reporter: Paulius Busauskas
10:45	Costs of biosecurity at farm level – a good investment
	Speaker: Dr. Lisbeth Harm Nielsen, Danish Agriculture and Food Council
11:15	An epidemiological and economic model analysis of Foot and mouth disease outbreaks in the Netherlands.
	Speaker: DR. RHM (Ron) Bergevoet, Wageningen University; the Netherlands
12:00	Lunch break
13:00	Session IV: Continuation
13:00	Analysis of costs caused by an avian influenza outbreak in Denmark
	Speaker: Dr. Sten Mortensen, The Danish Food and Veterinary Administration
13:35	Analysis of costs caused by African swine fever in domestic pigs and wild boar in Latvia
	Speaker: Dr. Edvins Olsevskis, Food and Veterinary Services, Latvia
14:10	Questions and discussion related to sessions day 1 and day 2
14:30	Conclusions and recommendations
	Chairman: Dr. Siri Løtvedt Reporter: Jørgen M. Westergaard
14:45	Closing session