

WORLD FOOD REGULATION REVIEW

ISSN: 0963-4894 (Print)
1752-7449 (Online)

Vol. 19, number 7

December 2009

Incorporating International Food Safety News

CONTENTS

World Food Regulation Review

AROUND THE WORLD

CANADA: Containment Standards for Facilities handling Aquatic Animal pathogens	3
CANADA: National Wheat Variety De-registration Protocol Adopted	3
EUROPEAN UNION: Previous Cargoes of Food Transport Ships Evaluated by EFSA	3
EUROPEAN UNION: Tackling the Problem of Anti-microbial Resistance.	4
FRANCE: National Veterinary Committee with Responsibility for Antibiotics.	5
FRANCE: National Vigilance Plan for Food Supplements	5
IRELAND: FSAI Survey Unveils Irish Attitudes to Food Labelling	6
IRELAND: Requirement to Register Poultry Slaughtering Premises.	7
JAPAN: Japan Signs a Memorandum of Cooperation with EFSA	7
NETHERLANDS: Rapid Development of Gene Technology in Livestock	8
SCOTLAND: <i>Campylobacter</i> Report Published by FSA in Scotland	8
UNITED KINGDOM: Report Exploring Attitudes to GM Food Published	9
UNITED KINGDOM: Consultation on Scheme to Show Calories on Menus	9
UNITED KINGDOM: Future Funding of UK Meat Controls	10

UNITED KINGDOM: Strategy for 2010–2015 Published	10
UNITED KINGDOM: Radioactivity Report Published	11
UNITED STATES: FDA Issues 2009 FDA Food Code	11
UNITED STATES: Enhanced Food Tracing Guidelines Recommended.	12
UNITED STATES: FDA To Look Into Safety of Caffeinated Alcoholic Beverages	12

ANIMAL HEALTH, WELFARE

Rinderpest “On its Deathbed” / EU: Commission Approves Euro 275 Million to Eradicate Animal Diseases / OIE Regional Commission for the Middle East / Canada: Animal Health Awareness Campaign / EU: Animal Welfare Labelling: Report Launches Debate / Finland: Animal Husbandry Conditions Controlled in EU Inspections in 2008	13
--	----

SPECIAL REPORT

Possible Connections Between Food Packaging and Microbial Spreading, Part 3.	19
--	----

International Food Safety News

Editorial	21
Alkaline Phosphatase in Milk and Cheese	22
News.	25
Pot Pourri	30

DIARY	32
-----------------	----