



HEALTH: QUESTIONING EXPERTISE: Deficient evaluation and conflicts of interest

European Parliament- Brussels -Room: JAN 4Q 1

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9.00-12.30; 14.30-17.00

MEP Corinne Lepage, MEP Frédérique Ries and MEP Fiona Hall

Co-organisation: CRIIGEN - Comité de Recherche et d'Information Indépendantes sur le Génie Génétique, Fondation Sciences Citoyennes and ENSSER - European Network of Scientists for Social and Environmental Responsibility

Draft program

9h. Opening

Corinne Lepage, *Former Minister of Environment, MEP*

Frédérique Ries, *MEP*

David Gee, *European Environmental Agency*

Catherine Bourgain, *President of Fondation Sciences Citoyennes*

9h30. The example of a controversial industrial product: Bisphenol A,

André Cicoella, *Researcher on environmental health at INERIS, (France),*

Lisette Van Vliet, *Toxic Policy Adviser at Health and Environment Alliance*

10h30. Coffee break

10h45. MEP's interventions

11h. The example of a drug, Neurontin

Pierre Chevalier, *Researcher in medicine at the Catholic University of Leuven, (Belgium)*

Elena Pasca, *member of board of Fondation Sciences Citoyennes, (France)*

12h. The example of GMOs producing insecticides (MON 863, MON 810)

Marcello Buiatti, *Professor of Genetics, University of Florence, (Italy)*

Gilles-Eric Séralini, *President of the scientific council of CRIIGEN (for international publication on very recent signs of toxicity in mammals),*

Christoph Then, *Executive director of the NGO Testbiotech - Scouting-biotechnologie (Germany)*

13h. Lunch

14h30. The example of a pesticide: Roundup

Gilles-Eric Séralini, *CRIIGEN, (France)*

François Veillerette, *President MDRGF - Mouvement pour les Droits et le Respect des Générations Futures (France)*

15h15. Industry interest in the advisory bodies for EU health policy

Nina Holland and Yiorgos Vassalos, *Corporate Europe Observatory*

Responsible of European Commission (has to be confirmed)



15h45. Debate and conclusions

Corinne Lepage, *Former Minister of Environment, MEP,*

Frédérique Ries, *MEP,*

David Gee, *European Environmental Agency,*

Catherine Bourgain, *President of FSC*

Martin Rieussec, *Président et Porte-parole du Collectif Appel de la Jeunesse*

Others politicians/officials

17h. End of meeting/Cocktail