



CANADIAN MEAT COUNCIL
CONSEIL DES VIANDES DU CANADA



Title: Updated *E. coli* O157:H7 policy: Training Seminar

Date: June 11, 2008

Location: Sheraton Gateway Airport Hotel Toronto, Terminal 3

AGENDA

8:00 – 8:30 am	Registration
<i>Seminar moderator:</i> Merv Baker, Canadian Meat Council	
8:30 – 8:40 am	Welcome James Laws, Canadian Meat Council (CMC) Phil Kimball, North American Meat Processors Association (NAMP)
8:40 – 9:10 am	<i>E. coli</i> O157:H7 and other food borne pathogens: update on the public incidence <i>Speaker:</i> Dr. Angela Cook, Canadian Public Health Agency
9:10 – 9:40 am	Canadian regulatory requirements related to <i>E. coli</i> O157:H7: CFIA Policy (Annex O) <i>Speaker:</i> Dr. Richard Arsenault, Canadian Food Inspection Agency
9:40 – 10:10 am	US import requirements and procedures for <i>E. coli</i> O157:H7 <i>Speaker:</i> Dr. Richard Arsenault, Canadian Food Inspection Agency
10:10 – 10:25 am	Coffee break
10:25 – 11:10 am	N60 testing for <i>E. coli</i> O157:H7: Lot definition, sampling, understanding results and follow-up <i>Speaker:</i> Brian Geisel, XL Foods, Calgary, AB
11:10 – 11:55 am	Implementation of <i>E. coli</i> O157:H7 control measures: slaughter <i>Speaker:</i> Dr. Angela Lynn Siemens, Cargill Meat Solutions, Guelph, ON
11:55 – 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 – 1:30 pm	Implementation of <i>E. coli</i> O157:H7 control measures: processing <i>Speaker:</i> Dr. Yemi Ogunrinola, Vantage Foods, BC
1:30 – 2:00 pm	<i>E. coli</i> O157:H7 control issues: processing <i>Speaker:</i> John Vatri, Cardinal Meat Specialists, Ltd., Mississauga, ON
2:00 – 2:40 pm	Effectiveness of interventions to reduce/eliminate pathogens on beef <i>Speaker:</i> Dr. Colin Gill, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, Lacombe, AB
2:40 – 3:00 pm	Coffee break
<i>Panel discussion moderator:</i> Robert De Valk, North American Meat Processors Association	
3:00 – 4:00 pm	Panel discussion: What does the Canadian industry need to focus on to further reduce <i>E. coli</i> O157:H7 risk? <i>Speakers:</i> Merv Baker , CMC, Ottawa; Robert De Valk , NAMP, Ottawa; Brian Geisel , XL Foods, Calgary; John Vatri , Cardinal Meat Specialists, Ltd., Mississauga; Colin Gill , AAFC, Lacombe; Brenda Watson , Canadian Partnership for Consumer Food Safety Education, Toronto; Yemi Ogunrinola , Vantage Foods, Chilliwack; Angela Lynn Siemens , Cargill Meat Solutions, Guelph.