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Event | 05.09.2018 | 09:30 - 13:00

Greens Complementary Hearing on Pesticides

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> *Everything you always wanted to know about the effects of pesticides on human health and the environment*

WATCH THE VIDEO OF THE HEARING

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PROGRAMME OF THE HEARING

(Simultaneous interpretation will be provided in English, French and German)

9:30-10:00
Key note speech
by Attorney Robert F. Kennedy Jr. and Attorney Michael L. Baum of Baum, Hedlund, Aristei & Goldman
Members of the US juridical team that won the recent litigation case against Monsanto

10:00-10:15
Dr Martin Dermine - Pesticide Action Network (PAN) Europe
General state of play and status of the impact assessment of the pesticide regulatory process - upcoming new report

PART I - *Environmental Impacts of Pesticides, including Mitigation Measures at Member State Level*

10:15-10:30
Dr. Noa Simon Delso
Co–author on 'the Worldwide Integrated Assessment on the risks of neonicotinoids and fipronil to biodiversity and ecosystem functioning'

10:30-10:45
Prof. Matthias Liess
From Helmholtz-Zentrum für Umweltforschung (UFZ), Leipzig. He is an expert on the impact of insecticides on aquatic ecosystems. He is also an expert on the national action plan for the sustainable use of pesticides

10:45-11:00
Prof Johann Zaller
BOKU Vienna. He is a biologist who works on the effects of pesticides - especially glyphosate - on earthworms, amphibians and mycorrhizial symbiosis. He has recently published a book explaining the risks of pesticides to a popular audience

11:00-11:15
Q&A

PART II - *Impacts of Pesticides on Human Health*

11:15-11:30
Prof. A Kortenkamp - Endocrine disrupters (EDCs), cocktail effects and chemicals risk assessment - State of play of scientific research on EDCs. How serious is the problem?

11:30-11:45
Dr Angeliki Lyssimachou (PAN) - Human health consequences of pesticides and the EU risk assessment

11:45-12:00
Siegfried Knasmueller (TBC), Austrian expert on genotoxicity - New research on genotoxic effects of glyphosate

12:00-12:30
Q&A

12:30
General Conclusions and Expectations concerning PEST committee: Green MEP

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Responsible MEPs



Maria Heubuch

Member



Michèle Rivasi

Member



Bart Staes

Member



Thomas Waitz

Member

Venue

European Parliament, Room A1G3, Rue Wiertz 60, Brussels

Attached documents

Presentation by Martin Dermine
Presentation by Michael Blaum & Robert F Kennedy Jr
Presentation by Noa Simon-Delso
Presentation by Matthias Liess
Presentation by Johann Zaller
Presentation by Andreas Kortenkamp
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