9th MARS Group meeting
13 – 15 September 2011
Bratislava, Slovak Republic

(Draft 3 – 1st September 2011)

Individual arrival of participants to Bratislava and accommodation

Conference room: Slovak Office of Standards, Metrology and Testing, Stefanovicova 3, Bratislava, 1st floor

13 September 2011 – Tuesday

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<td>Individual arrival to the Conference room at the Slovak Office of Standards, Metrology and Testing, Stefanovicova 3, Bratislava</td>
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<td>10.30-12.00</td>
<td>Preparatory meeting of the Bureau Members of the MARS Group</td>
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Individual arrival of other participants to the Conference room at the SOSMT

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<td>Welcome addresses:</td>
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<td>14.00-14.10</td>
<td>Mrs. Lucia Gocnıková, President of SOSMT</td>
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<td>Mr. Christer Arvius, Chairman of WP.6</td>
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<td>Mrs. Kvetoslava Steinlová, MARS Group Chairperson</td>
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<td>Information from the meeting of WP.6 Rapporteurs in Stockholm (May 2011) and plan of following activities of the MARS-Group</td>
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<td>- Mr. Christer Arvíus, Chairman of WP.6 &amp; Chief of Unit</td>
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<td>Implementation of the NLF in the field of market surveillance – Slovak experience</td>
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<td>- Presentation by Mrs. Nadežda Machútová, General Director of Slovak Trade Inspection</td>
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15.30 New standardisation package and State policy of standardisation
   - Presentation by Mrs. Kvetoslava Steinlová, MARS Group Chairperson

16.00 Coffee Break

16.15 Evaluation of market surveillance programmes or interconnection of
ICSMS and RAPEX systems (to be confirmed)
   - Presentation by Mrs. Rita L’Abbate, European Commission

Discussion

17.30 Market Surveillance – the cooperation of competent authorities in Serbia
and coordination in the Rapid System of Exchange of Information on
Dangerous products (NEPRO/Pre-RAPEX)
   - Presentation by Mrs. Vera Despotović, Ministry of Agriculture, Trade,
     Forestry and Water Management

18.00 Presentation by the representative of the National Labour Inspectorate,
Slovak Commercial and Industrial Chamber, or other competent Ministry
(to be confirmed)

18.30 Departure to the Restaurant

19.00 Official dinner at the “BAKCHUS Restaurant” on invitation of Mrs.
Lucia Gocníková, President of SOSMT

14 September 2011 – Wednesday

08.30-09.00 Individual arrival to the participants

09.00 New Recommendation “N” – explanation of a new recommendation,
information from webinars and comments by participants
   - Information by Mrs. Kvetoslava Steinlová and Mr. Christer Arvíus

09.45 Activities of the Interdepartmental commission for coordination of the
cooperation in the field of the fight against the falsification and author
piracy
   - Presentation by Mrs. Darina Kyliánová, President of Industrial Property
Office of the Slovak Republic

10.15 Activities of the Customs authorities in Slovakia
   - Presentation by Mr. Marián Haršány, Customs Directorate of the Slovak
Republic

10.45 Coffee Break
11.10 **Recast of the Recommendation “M” with the aim to use the existing schema to ensure not only the security but also the authenticity of the product**  
- *Introduction: Mrs. Kvetoslava Steinlová, Coordinator of WP.6*  
- Proposals and comments by participants, discussion

12.00 **Presentation(s) by representatives from CIS** – for ex. development in the field of new technical regulations and the progress in the approximation to the EN standards or other subject + difficulties in this area  

*Discussion*

12.40 **Generic Market Surveillance Procedure** (new paper)  
- *Information by Mr. Ivan Hendriks, EMC/Safety Expert* (to be confirmed)

13.10 Departure to the Restaurant (walking)

13.30 Lunch in Steam&Coffee Restaurant

15.00 **Market surveillance Terms and Definitions** – finalization, publication and importance of the “Glossary of MS terminology”  
- *Information by Mr. Willem Kool, BIML/ Mrs. Lorenza Jachia, WP.6*

15.40 **Database of information and global database of MS authorities**  
- *Information by Mrs. Lorenza Jachia, Secretary of WP.6*

16.15 Coffee Break

16.30 **General discussion**  
(Suggestions and comments of participants)

18.0 Closing of the session

Free evening

**15 September 2011 – Thursday**

09.00 **Elaboration of conclusions of the 9th MARS meeting**  
(Conference room of the SOSMT)

10.00 Social event (scheduled: visit of SMOLENICE-castle and the DRINY-cave – voluntary)

Departure of participants