



Food Sciences Section Wednesday / March 21, 2018

Meeting Agenda

- 9:45 am Opening Comments, Antitrust Statement, Introductions and Chair's Remarks
- a) The Essential Principles of ACIL Sections provides that meetings must comply with the antitrust rules that apply to trade associations.
- This means that, during any ACIL meeting, there shall be no discussion of the following: current or future prices of services; price lists or procedures for coordinating price changes, sales quotas, allocation or division of territories or clients; boycotting any party or denying any party access to markets, products, or information; commercial practices of competitors or clients; anything dealing with trade abuses or excluding or controlling competition.
- There is a degree of constitutional protection from antitrust liability when dealing in good faith with taking positions on legislation. Nonetheless, following the foregoing will help avoid potential problems.
- 10:00 am FSS Section Topics
 Topics will include ACIL-ILI MOU with FDA, Updated Information on ACIL / FDA CRA, FSS Lobbying Efforts, Focus on USDA and more
- 12:00 pm Lunch
- 1:30 pm Introductions: RADM Palmer Orlandi, FDA and Joseph Konschnik, Restek
 Updates from ILI/ACIL: website development, etc.
 Updates from FDA FVM: Website development, FY18 Research priorities, method validation plans, etc.
 Update on FDA-ILI MOU & RCA development: Distillers grains method validation study
 Discussion Q&A on nuts of the validation SOP
 Presentations:
 o ILI/ACIL presentation on olive oil authenticity testing – John Reuther
 o FDA FVM overview on research to support economically motivated adulteration (EMA) surveillance
 □ Seafood barcoding, green olive adulterants, etc.
- 3:00 pm Afternoon break
- 3:15 pm FVM S&R conference recap, ongoing stakeholder engagement, fed-state partnership activities
 o Lessons learned and next steps
 o Open Forum on Future joint activities
 • Finalizing agreement on next steps/future meetings.
- 5:30pm Adjournment