## **EU Scientific Seminar 2009**

## Childhood Leukaemia – mechanisms and causes

Luxembourg, 3 November 2009

starting at 13:30 - ending at 18:00

## in meeting room M6

European Commission – Jean Monnet Building rue Alcide de Gasperi – L-2920 LUXEMBOURG (Kirchberg)

## **Draft Programme**

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Chairman: John Stather, United Kingdom Rapporteur: Jean Piechowski, France

10.00	
13:30	Objectives of the seminar
	Patrick Smeesters, on behalf of the Article 31 WP RIHSS
13:45 – 14:30	Childhood leukaemia – General overview and ongoing studies in France
	Danièle Sommelet and Jacqueline Clavel, France
14:30 – 15:15	Review of identified and possible aetiologies of childhood leukaemia
	Heribert Jürgens, Germany
15:15 – 15:45	Coffee Break
15:45 – 16:15	Ionising radiation epidemiology of childhood leukaemia
	Richard Wakeford, United Kingdom
16:15 – 16:45	Childhood leukaemia around nuclear installations
	Wolfgang-Ulrich Müller, Germany
16:45 – 17:45	Round table discussion: Policy implications and research needs
	In particular: Which scientific approaches should be designed to clarify the causes and mechanisms of childhood leukaemia?
	Moderator: John Stather, United Kingdom
	Round table: Ruth Jarrett, Britt Gustafsson, Danièle Sommelet, Heribert Jürgens, Leo Kinlen, Richard Wakeford, Wolfgang-Ulrich Müller
17:45 – 18:00	Conclusions
	Patrick Smeesters, Chairman of the RIHSS WP
18:15	Cocktail