

**OIE Workshop on the new World Animal Health Information System (WAHIS)
Nairobi, Kenya, 19- 21 December 2006**

World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE)

Participants:

The Workshop is dedicated to nominated officers from African countries, in charge, under the authority of the Delegate to the OIE, of terrestrial and aquatic animal health notification to the OIE.

Objectives:

To explain the requirements of the new OIE's World Animal Health Information System and to train participants on the use of the new WAHIS web application in order to encourage African countries to provide the OIE with good quality and timely animal health information; and through the OIE to the rest of the world.

Language: English

Provisional programme

Tuesday 19 December 2006

- 08:30 - 09:00 Registration of participants
- 09:00 - 09:30 Opening ceremony
Objectives of the workshop
(Dr Karim Ben Jebara, OIE Hqs)
(Dr Amadou Samba Sidibé, OIE-Africa)
- 09:30 - 10:30 New Notifications obligations by OIE Member Countries for Terrestrial and Aquatic Animal Health following the respective *Codes*: When and which kind of information should be provided?
(Dr Karim Ben Jebara, OIE Hqs)
- 10:30 - 11:00 **Break**
- 11:00 - 11:30 Criteria to include a disease in the OIE single list of diseases
(Dr Karim Ben Jebara, OIE Hqs)
- 11:30 - 12:30 WAHIS web application general presentation
(Dr D. Chaisemartin, OIE Hqs)
- 12:30 - 14:00 **Lunch**
- 14:00 - 15:00 Immediate notification and follow-up reports for terrestrial animals: basis of the OIE's Early Warning System for terrestrial animals
(Dr Karim Ben Jebara, OIE Hqs)
- 15:00 - 16:00 Immediate notification and follow-up reports for terrestrial animals using WAHIS: General presentation and practical exercises
(Drs D. Chaisemartin & K. Ben Jebara, OIE Hqs)
- 16:00 - 16:30 **Break**
- 16:30 - 18:00 Immediate notification and follow-up reports for aquatic animals: basis of the OIE's Early Warning System for aquatic animals and general presentation using WAHIS
(Drs D. Chaisemartin & K. Ben Jebara, OIE Hqs)

Wednesday 20 December 2006

- 09:00 - 10:30 Six-monthly reports, basis of the OIE Monitoring System
(Dr Karim Ben Jebara, OIE Hqs)
- 10:30 - 11:00 **Break**

- 11:00 - 13:00 Six-monthly reporting using WAHIS web application: General presentation and practice by the participants.
(Drs D. Chaisemartin & K. Ben Jebara, OIE Hqs)
- 13:00 - 14:30 **Lunch**
- 14:30 - 15:00 OIE-FAO-WHO Annual report
(Dr Karim Ben Jebara, OIE Hqs)
- 15:00 - 17:00 Annual reporting using WAHIS web application: General presentation and practice by the participants.
(Drs D. Chaisemartin & K. Ben Jebara, OIE Hqs)

Thursday 21 December 2006

- 09:00 - 10:30 Outputs of the WAHIS on the OIE Website:
The World Animal Health Information Database Interface: *WAHID Interface*
(Dr Karim Ben Jebara, OIE Hqs)
- 10:30 - 11:00 **Break**
- 11:00 - 13:00 The SADC Animal Health Information System and its integration with WAHIS: the way forward.
- 13:00 - 14:00 **Lunch**
- 14:00 - 16:00 The AU-IBAR Animal Health Information System and its integration with WAHIS: the way forward.
- 16:00 - 17:00 Discussion
- 17:00 - 17:30 Conclusions
- 17:30 - 18:00 Closing ceremony