



Summary of decisions taken during the 23rd ACSB 25 November 2015 Bangkok, Thailand

Brunei Darussalam delegates were not present, as such their input on the decisions is still pending;

1. While in Europe the use of thioglycolic acid on eye lashes by professional has been added to Annex III, this has not been agreed upon in ASEAN where all thio acids remain banned around the eye (Annex III # A7);
2. 9 new hair dyes (#288 – 296) have been added to Annex III in 7 countries, Indonesia and Malaysia will come back with their decision. These are:
 - a. HC Blue 17;
 - b. HC Blue 15;
 - c. Acid Green 25;
 - d. Acid Violet 23;
 - e. 2-METHOXYMETHYL-P-PHENYLENE DIAMINE/2-METHOXYMETHYL-P-PHENYLENEDIAMINE SULFATE;
 - f. HYDROXYANTHRAQUINONE-AMINOPROPYL METHYLMORPHOLINIUM METHOSULFATE;
 - g. Disperse Red 17;
 - h. Acid Black 1;
 - i. Pigment Red 57;
3. **New banned ingredient:** 3-benzylidene camphor was moved from Annex VII to Annex II with the following grace periods:
 - a. Cambodia, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Myanmar, Singapore until 30th June 2016

- b. Indonesia and Philippines 6-12 months
- c. Thailand and Vietnam 12 months
- 4. Annex II item 419 (category 1 and 2 animal materials): the definition proposed by ACA has been approved and will be attached to the Annex II;
- 5. Annex III: to finalize this annex, ACA has been tasked with consolidating all inputs and circulate the document by April 2016;
- 6. AHA: Thailand limits will be different from other member states: 10-30% will be limited to Medical practitioners while any product with >30% will be classified as drug;
- 7. Next meeting: the next meeting will be during the week of 23-27 May 2016 in Vietnam;