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**5th MEETING PAN AMERICAN COMMISSION ON FOOD SAFETY
(COPAIA 5)**

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, June 10, 2008

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PROVISIONAL AGENDA

08:30-09:00 Registration of participants

OPENING

09:00-09:45 Election of the Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Rapporteur
Address by Dr. Mirta Roses Periago, Director, Pan American Health Organization

09:45-10:15 **Item 1:** Report from the Commission's Technical Secretariat on the COPAIA 4
recommendations.
Dr. Albino Belotto, PANAFTOSA Director

10:15-10:45 **Item 2:** Report of activities in Food Safety of the Inter-American Institute for
Cooperation on Agriculture.
Dr. Ricardo Molins, Director of Agricultural Health and Food Safety - IICA

10:45-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-11:30 **Item 3:** Right to "Healthy" Food.
Héctor Villaverde, Consumers International

11:30-12:00 **Item 4:** Cost/benefit of establishing food safety systems.
Robert Best, Caribbean Poultry Association

12:00-13:00 Lunch

13:00-13:30 **Item 5:** Outbreak Alert! Trends in Foodborne Illness Outbreaks in the
United States (1990 – 2005)
Caroline Smith DeWaal, Food Safety Director - Center for Science in the Public Interest

13:30-14:00 **Item 6:** Agriculture and food policies can promote better health and mitigate the burden
of chronic non-communicable diseases in the Americas.
Enrique Jacoby, PAHO/WHO and Corinna Hawkes, International Food Policy Research
Institute - Freelance Consultant, and Visiting Research Fellow, Centre for Food Policy,
City University, London.

- 14:00-14:30 **Item 7.1:** Primary production of healthy food.
Nelmon Oliveira da Costa, Director of the Animal Origin Products Inspection
Department - DIPOA/SDA of the Ministry of Agricultura, Livestock and Food Supply,
Brazil.
- Item 7.2:** Production of healthy foods: An institutional approach.
Denise de Oliveira Resende Marques e Ângela Karinne Fagundes de Castro
National Health Surveillance Agency - ANVISA, Ministry of Health, Brazil.
- 14:30-15:00 Coffee break
- 15:00-15:30 **Item 8:** Adaptation and Validation of the 5 Keys to Safer Food Manual of WHO
in primary schools in Guatemala.
Dr. Ludwig Werner Ovalle Cabrera, Vice Minister
Ministry of Public Health and Social Welfare, Guatemala – MSPAS
- 15:30-16:00 **Item 9:** Public Policies' Management-Healthy Food Markets: Santa Cruz de la Sierra
County.
Dr. Walter Selum, Ministry of Health, Bolivia
- 16:00-17:00 Discussion and Approval of the Meeting's Declaration