

## ANNUAL DECLARATION OF INTERESTS (ADoI)

*(Please note that high quality of scientific expertise is by nature based on prior experience and that therefore having an interest does not necessarily mean having a conflict of interest)*

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**Current EFSA involvements:** Chair-FEEDAP Panel 2012-2015 (FEEDAP), Member-Scientific Committee 2012-2015 (SC), Vice-Chair-Vitamins 2012-2015 (FEEDAP)

Nature of Activities	Period	Organisation	Subject matter
<b>I. Economic interest</b>			NO INTEREST
<b>II. Member of a management body or equivalent structure</b>	08/2008 - now	-Name: European Federation of Animal Science (EAAP)	Non profit organisation founded in 1949. Presently 39 countries are members - members are ministries of Agriculture, universities and animals science organisations. EAAP organises annual meetings and special symposia for animal scientist. We publish a sceintific journal, an abstract book and ad hoc book. We manage the dissimination of results for several EU projects. I serve as president of the organisation from 2008 to 2012.

	08/2001 - now	-Name: Danish Dairy Research Foundation	<p>Research foundation</p> <p>The Research Fund is setup by the Danish Agriculture and Food Council which represents the farming and food industries of Denmark. The remit of the Research Foundation is to support research in the areas of Technology (dairy), Mikrobiology and Health and Nutrition (human). The funds arises partly from public funds and funds collected from dairy farmers as a production levy. So although I have marked the foundation as private because the secretariat is run by the Agriculture and Food Council it is also public because it also allocates public funds.</p> <p>I am a member of the board. I was nominated to join the board by the National Research Council. My role is to participate in the preparation of calls, to evaluate the incoming applications and distribute the funds to the selected applications.</p>
	08/2004 - 03/2008	-Name: OECD corporate Research Programme	Management committee member. Selection among application for research visits and conferences and management of the programme
	01/2001 - 08/2006	-Name: National Research Council for Technique and Production	Select among research proposals for allocation of research grants
<b>III. Member of a scientific advisory body</b>	09/2011 - 10/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Vice chair - Fat Soluble Vitamins (FEEDAP)
	04/2011 - 10/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - FEEDAP Panel 2009-2012 (FEEDAP). Elected chair for the period 2001 - 2015.
	05/2012 - 09/2012	-Name: EFSA, European Food Safety Authority, Italy, Parma	Member - FEEDAP Panel 2012-2015 (FEEDAP) Member of Scientific committee 2012-2015 (SC)
	08/2002 - 08/2007	-Name: Danish Food Research Centre (LMC)	<p>LMC coordinates and promotes the public food research in Denmark.</p> <p>LMC's overall goal is to develop, consolidate and internationalise the Danish food research at the highest level possible, including to ensure funding for research initiatives.</p> <p>An essential activity is to increase the interaction between the food industry and the innovation system, e.g. by establishing networks and organising congresses.</p> <p>Things may have changed, but it is unclear who, if any, take the advice into consideration. When I was a member an important activity was to coordinate the Food education between Copenhagen University and Danish Technical University.</p> <p>Presently all Danish Universities with Food Research are represented.</p> <p>I was a regular member of the board of representatives appointed by the National research Council. I cannot remember there have ever been a vote. None of the work were in any shape or form related to the work in FEEDAP.</p>
	11/2000 - 05/2003	-Name: Scientific Committee of Animal Nutrition, DG Sanco	Reply to questions from the commission regarding approval of feed additives and general matters related to animal nutrition.
<b>IV. Employment</b>	08/1973 - now	-Name: Department of Animal Science, Faculty of Science and Technology, Aarhus University	Research and teaching in animal science. Focus on milk composition and lactation biology.

<b>V. Ad hoc or occasional consultancy</b>	04/2009 - 04/2010	-Name: Eli Lilly, Elanco Animal Health	Member of an expert panel to make a safety assesment of recombinant Bovine Somatotropin (rBST). My contribution related to a review of the scientific literature. The work ended when the report was finalised and I have not been involved in any activities after that.
<b>VI. Research funding</b>	01/2008 - now	-Name: Danish Council for Strategic Research	I am leader of a National Reserch Network entitled "Tailored milk and human health". It is 4 year project. The project covers all aspects from the cow to human health and include dairy cow research, reseach in lab animals and human intervention trials. Partners come from Copenhagen University, Danish Technical University and Aarhus University as well as industry partners. The overall and specific contribution to my own project from private partners is well below 25 percent. The the work at the Danish Council for Strategic Research does not relate to the activities of the FEEDAP Panel
<b>VII. Intellectual property rights</b>			NO INTEREST
<b>VIII. Other membership or affiliation</b>	09/2008 - now	-Name: American Society of Animal Science	Professional member of the society
	09/1977 - now	-Name: American Dairy Science Association	Professional member of the association
<b>IX. Other relevant interest</b>			NO INTEREST
<b>X. Interests of close family members</b>			NO INTEREST

I hereby declare that I have read both the Guidance Document on Declarations of Interests and the Procedure for identifying and handling potential conflict of interests and that the above Declaration of Interests is complete.

Date: 20/11/2012      Signature: **SIGNED**