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Additives for use in animal nutrition	JRC The Joint Research Centre of the European Commission Geel Belgium	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Dr. Vadims Bartkevics Head of Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 vadims.bartkevics@bior.lv	
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<i>Campylobacter</i>	SVA Statens Veterinärmedicinska Anstalt Uppsala Sweden	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Jelena Avsejenko Head of Bacteriology Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology ☎ +371 67620358 Fax +371 67620434 jelena.avsejenko@bior.lv	Madara Streikisa Bacteriology Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology ☎ +371 67620358 Fax +371 67620434 madara.streikisa@bior.lv

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Coagulase positive <i>Staphylococci</i> , including <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	ANSES Agence nationale de sécurité sanitaire de l'alimentation, de l'environnement et du travail Laboratoire de sécurité des aliments Maisons-Alfort France	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Jekaterina Mogiluka Microbiology Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology ☎ +371 67620718 Fax +371 67620434 jekaterina.mogiluka@bior.lv	Jelena Avsejenko Head of Bacteriology Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology ☎ +371 67620358 Fax +371 67620434 jelena.avsejenko@bior.lv Juris Kibilds Microbial Genomics Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology Mob. +371 28619692 Fax +371 67620434 juris.kibilds@bior.lv

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<i>Escherichia coli</i> , including Verotoxigenic <i>E. Coli</i> (VTEC)	ISS Istituto Superiore di Sanità Roma Italy	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Juris Kibilds Microbial Genomics Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology Mob. +371 28619692 Fax +371 67620434 juris.kibilds@bior.lv	Jelena Avsejenko Head of Bacteriology Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology ☎ +371 67620358 Fax +371 67620434 jelena.avsejenko@bior.lv Jekaterina Mogiluka Microbiology Group Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology ☎ +371 67620718 Fax +371 67620434 jekaterina.mogiluka@bior.lv
Foodborne viruses	SLV Livsmedelsverket Uppsala Sweden	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Juris Kibilds Microbial Genomics Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology Mob. +371 28619692 Fax +371 67620434 juris.kibilds@bior.lv	Artjoms Malisevs Microbial Genomics Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology ☎ +371 67620513 Fax +371 67620434 artjoms.malisevs@bior.lv

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Genetically modified organisms (GMOs)	JRC Joint Research Centre of the European Commission Ispra Italy	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Dr. Lelde Grantina-ievina Risk Assessment and Epidemiology Unit ☎ +371 67620513 Fax +371 67620434 lelde.grantina-ievina@bior.lv	Lilija Kovalcuka Microbial Genomics Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology ☎ +371 67620513 Fax +371 67620434 lilija.kovalcuka@bior.lv
Halogenated persistent organic pollutants (POPs) in feed and food	CVUA Chemisches und Veterinäruntersuchungsamt Freiburg Freiburg Germany	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Dr. Dzintars Zacs Head of Advanced Mass Spectrometry Group, Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620624 Fax +371 67620434 dzintars.zacs@bior.lv	Dr. Vadims Bartkevics Head of Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 vadims.bartkevics@bior.lv
Heavy metals and nitrogenous compounds in food and feed <i>See also: Annex I, Group B3c (metals) Directive 96/23/EC</i>	DTU Fødevareinstituttet Danmarks Tekniske Universitet København Denmark	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Konstantins Bavrins Elemental Analysis Group, Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620922 Fax +371 67620434 konstantins.bavrins@bior.lv	Dr. Vadims Bartkevics Head of Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 vadims.bartkevics@bior.lv

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<i>Listeria monocytogenes</i>	ANSES Agence nationale de sécurité sanitaire de l'alimentation, de l'environnement et du travail Laboratoire de sécurité des aliments Maisons-Alfort France	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Jekaterina Mogiluka Microbiology Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology ☎ +371 67620718 Fax +371 67620434 jekaterina.mogiluka@bior.lv	Silva Gradovska Microbial Genomics Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology ☎ +371 67620513 Fax +371 67620434 silva.gradovska@bior.lv
Marine biotoxins	AESAN Agencia Española, Seguridad Alimentaria y Nutrición Vigo Spain	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Dr. Vadims Bartkevics Head of Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 vadims.bartkevics@bior.lv	
Material intended to come into contact with foodstuffs	JRC Joint Research Centre of the European Commission Ispra Italy	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Laura Elina Ikkere Chromatography Group, Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620624 Fax : +371 67620434 lauraelina.ikkere@bior.lv	Dr. Vadims Bartkevics Head of Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 vadims.bartkevics@bior.lv

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Mycotoxins and plant toxins in feed and food	WFSR Wageningen Food Safety Research Wageningen Wageningen The Netherlands	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Dr. Iveta Pugajeva Head of Chromatography Group, Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620624 Fax +371 67620434 iveta.pugajeva@bior.lv	Dr. Vadims Bartkevics Head of Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 vadims.bartkevics@bior.lv
Parasites (in particular <i>Trichinella</i> , <i>Echinococcus</i> and <i>Anisakis</i>)	ISS Istituto Superiore di Sanità Roma Italy	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Dr. Gunita Dekсне Head of Parasitology Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology Mob. +371 28396350 Fax +371 67620434 gunita.deksne@bior.lv	Zanda Ozolina Parasitology Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology Mob. +371 28656424 Fax +371 67620434 zanda.ozolina@bior.lv

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Residues of pesticides (cereals and feedingstuffs)	DTU Fødevareinstituttet Danmarks Tekniske Universitet København Denmark	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Dr. Iveta Pugajeva Head of Chromatography Group, Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620624 Fax +371 67620434 iveta.pugajeva@bior.lv	Dr. Vadims Bartkevics Head of Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 vadims.bartkevics@bior.lv

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Residues of pesticides (food of animal origin and commodities with high fat content)	CVUA Chemisches und Veterinäruntersuchungsamt Stuttgart Fellbach Germany	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Dr. Dzintars Zacs Head of Advanced Mass Spectrometry Group, Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620624 Fax +371 67620434 dzintars.zacs@bior.lv	Dr. Vadims Bartkevics Head of Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 vadims.bartkevics@bior.lv
Residues of pesticides (fruits and vegetables, including commodities with high water and high acid content)	LAGV Laboratorio Agrario de la Generalitat Valenciana Burjassot-Valencia Grupo de Residuos de Plaguicidas de la Universidad de Almería (PRRG) Almería Spain	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Dr. Iveta Pugajeva Head of Chromatography Group, Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620624 Fax +371 67620434 iveta.pugajeva@bior.lv	Dr. Vadims Bartkevics Head of Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 vadims.bartkevics@bior.lv
Residues of pesticides (single residues methods)	CVUA Chemisches und Veterinäruntersuchungsamt Stuttgart Fellbach Germany	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Dr. Iveta Pugajeva Head of Chromatography Group, Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620624 Fax +371 67620434 iveta.pugajeva@bior.lv	Dr. Vadims Bartkevics Head of Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 vadims.bartkevics@bior.lv

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Residues of veterinary medicines and contaminants in food of animal origin (Annex I, Group A 1 2 3 4, B2d, B3d Directive 96/23/EC) <i>Residues of:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>hormonal growth;</i> • <i>promoting compounds;</i> • <i>sedatives;</i> • <i>mycotoxins.</i> 	WFSR Wageningen Food Safety Research Wageningen, the Netherlands	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv	Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv	Dr. Iveta Pugajeva Head of Chromatography Group, Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620624 Fax +371 67620434 iveta.pugajeva@bior.lv	Dr. Vadims Bartkevics Head of Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 vadims.bartkevics@bior.lv

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<p>Residues of veterinary medicines and contaminants in food of animal origin (Annex I, Group B1, B3e Directive 96/23/EC and carbadox and olaquinox)</p> <p><i>For the residues:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • nitrofuranes, chloramphenicol and dapsone; • MRL-authorized antimicrobials, including quinolones and sulfonamides; • non-authorized quinoxalines like carbadox & olaquinox; • non-authorized dyes like malachite green, crystal violet (gentiane violet), brilliant green. 	<p>ANSES</p> <p>Agence nationale de sécurité sanitaire de l'alimentation, de l'environnement et du travail</p> <p>Laboratoire de Fougères</p> <p>France</p>	<p>Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR</p>	<p>✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia</p> <p>☎ +371 67620526</p> <p>Fax +371 67620434</p> <p>@ bior@bior.lv</p> <p>website www.bior.lv</p>	<p>Dr. Aivars Berzins</p> <p>Director</p> <p>☎ +371 67620526</p> <p>Fax +371 67620434</p> <p>@ bior@bior.lv</p>	<p>Dr. Iveta Pugajeva</p> <p>Head of Chromatography Group, Laboratory of Chemistry</p> <p>☎ +371 67620624</p> <p>Fax +371 67620434</p> <p>iveta.pugajeva@bior.lv</p>	<p>Dr. Vadims Bartkevics</p> <p>Head of Laboratory of Chemistry</p> <p>☎ +371 67620526</p> <p>Fax +371 67620434</p> <p>vadims.bartkevics@bior.lv</p>

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Transmissible spongiform encephalopathies (TSEs)	<p>IZSTO A consortium between the IZSPLVA and the ISS, led by IZSPLVA: Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale del Piemonte, Liguria e Valle d'Aosta (IZSPLVA) Torino Italy Istituto Superiore di Sanità (ISS) Roma Italy <i>(See point 1 of Chapter B of Annex X to Regulation (EC) No 999/2001)</i></p>	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	<p>✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv wbsite www.bior.lv</p>	<p>Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv</p>	<p>Dr. Inga Piginka-Vjaceslavova Pathology Group (histology, IHC), Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology ☎ +371 67622018 Fax +371 67620434 inga.piginka@bior.lv</p>	<p>Laura Krivko Head of Virology Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology ☎ +371 67620668 Fax +371 67620434 santa.ansonska@bior.lv</p> <p>Liga Ansonska Pathology Group, Laboratory of Microbiology and Pathology ☎ +371 67622018 Fax +371 67620434 liga.ansonska@bior.lv</p>
Water content in poultry meat	<p>Commission Regulation (EC) No 543/2008 (Article 19) Board of experts</p>	Institute of Food Safety, Animal Health and Environment BIOR	<p>✉ 3, Lejupes street, Riga, LV-1076, Latvia ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv website www.bior.lv</p>	<p>Dr. Aivars Berzins Director ☎ +371 67620526 Fax +371 67620434 @ bior@bior.lv</p>	<p>Jana Meistere Laboratory of Chemistry ☎ +371 67620922 Fax +371 67620434 jana.meistere@bior.lv</p>	

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²⁾ Nomination in accordance with Cabinet Regulation No. [864/2009](#) of the Republic of Latvia.