

Current Issues and Outreach Committee Draft Agenda

2020 AAFCO Annual Virtual Meeting

Wednesday, August 5th, 2020

4:15 pm (EDT) –5:00 pm (EDT)

Meeting Access:

The **Full Access Registration** includes the live webcast of this committee meeting. Registrants will receive their username and password along with instructions to access and use the portal 4 to 5 days in advance of August 5. **Slido** will be used for questions from registrants.

Complimentary live **Audio Listen-Only Access** (no webcast access) will be available. Instructions to access this complimentary access will be available on the AAFCO website. No access to chat or **Slido** will be available for listeners selecting this option.

Committee members and advisors will have live microphones. Chat will be used for voting by committee members. Committee members—please log on 15 minutes prior to each session so the vice-chair can determine quorum and we can do audio checks.

Ali Kashani, Chair

Ali Kashani serves as the Program Manager in the Food Safety & Consumer Services Division of Washington State Department of Agriculture (WSDA).

Ali has 32 years of service with WSDA as inspector, supervisor, program manager and advisor. Ali's career also includes seven years on faculty of South Dakota State University and Assistant Professor at University of Isfahan, Iran. Ali is a past president of Association of American Feed Control Officials (2003) and current Secretary Treasurer, in addition to serving as chair of Current Issues and Outreach Committee and Finance committee. Ali received M.S. and Ph.D. in animal science with major emphasis on biochemistry and statistics and research work in poultry nutrition.

Agenda

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| 4:15 | Welcome & Opening Remarks
Ali Kashani, Committee, Washington State Department of Agriculture |
| 4:20 | Committee Updates:
Jennifer Combs, University of Kentucky
Jo Lynn Otero, New Mexico Department of Agriculture |
| 4:30 | Consumer perceptions on Impact of Pet Food on Human Health
Melanie Marques, MS, |

Pet Food Specialist, Food and Feed Safety Division, Minnesota,
Department of Ag.
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- 4:40 Relationships Between the Violative Conditions Observed at Medicated
Feed manufacturers Inspected by the Minnesota Department of
Agriculture; Commercial Feed Program
Robert Leuer, MS, IFPTI Fellow
Feed Regulatory Advisor, Food and Feed Safety Division, Minnesota
Department of Agriculture
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- 4:50 Comments/Suggestions for Future Meetings & Closing Remarks
- 5:00 Adjourn