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Tank Cleaning Organisations**

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dear EFTCO Member

I hope you all enjoy the summer time and some holidays.

There are some updates with EFTCO and I want to give all of our members a quick status overview.

EFTCO Member Meeting 28./29. September 2022 in Naples/Italy

Invitations are sent to all delegates and participants. Although travelling is more difficult than it was in the past, we do hope to manage a good participation that most of the member hopefully can follow the long history of EFTCO meetings with personal attendance.

As also the prebooking process with the hotels is tougher than Pre-Corona, we have to ask you to send the room bookings and have to remind the closing of the bookings latest by **9th August 2022**.

The agenda of our meeting is still a work in progress and I would like to welcome all members to add subjects of discussion.

For sure we will have on our agenda:

Financial overview, ECLIC/eECD, Digitalization, Food, EFTCO VzW, minimum membership criteria's, SQAS/Quality control.

The EFTCO Board and ALCI look forward to welcome you in Naples/I in September.

Foundation of EFTCO VzW

All of the EFTCO members with voting rights declared their approval to continue foundation of EFTCO VzW.

Our founding consulting company `eubelius` is now engaged to start the administrative process of foundation in Belgium.

The founding members will be APLICA, CTC and ATCN due to easier operational reasons and all existing member of EFTCO UK will be transferred into EFTCO VzW by using proxies.

Status ECLIC/eECD – Digitalization

ECLIC has seen a slightly increase usage of the eECD and starts to order system improvements into eECD 2.0. The costs are financed by the users and especially the chemical industry.

It is expected to test the eECD 2.0 update at the end of the quarter 2022 and implementation in 2023.

This would result in 2 major changes:

- a cleaning stations can use eECD without having a customer and/or a loading station registered at ECLIC
- and decide on customer demand to send the cleaning documentation digital or to print a paper eECD, which will be authorized by EFTCO.

We will use our Naples/I meeting to present and discuss all details and actual usage level with the number of participants.

ENFIT

Continuously we see ENFIT (Mr. Philipowski) releasing newsletter and using new media to announce his visions and services. Especially his tracking system of transport equipment and the cleaning documentation incl. auditing into a quality cluster.

It is his style of communication, that he manipulates the reader to believe that many of the transport companies (drivers) are prepared to defraud food safety and that the ECD can not be a cleaning document that fulfils quality requirements.

Actually we see 9 cleaning stations that are organized in EFTCO and additionally with ENFIT (1x Austria, 1 x Belgium, 1 x Netherland, 2 x Germany, 3 x Poland and 1 x Slovakia) completed by 4 cleaning stations not being a member of EFTCO (1 x Germany, 2 x Poland and 1 x Slovenia)

Being criticized can have 2 possibilities. To defend ourselves and go into opposition, or to select learnings and possible improvements. EFTCO needs to decide.

Let us prepare our discussion with your feedback and I will summarize the received comments for our meeting in Naples/I.

If there are questions and feedback, kindly contact us.

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Kind regards

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