What does BREXIT mean for FEEVA? for Equine Medicine?

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What does Brexit mean?

If "Brexit means Brexit", what does Brexit mean? (and don't say Brexit)
Uncertainty....

BREXIT MEANS....

Norway model

hard Brexit

article 50

free movement

soft Brexit

passporting rights

single market access
For FEEVA

• BEVA is committed to FEEVA Membership
But.....

- We are paying you 20% more
Why is FEEVA important to BEVA

• Direct lobbying to EU
  – Important especially in the event of a ‘soft Brexit’
    • Medicines
      – Availability, pan-Europe licencing
      – Phenylbutazone, food animal production

• Disease
  – Shared surveillance and monitoring
  – Animal movement

• Opportunities
What does Brexit mean for Veterinary workforce

• Free movement: 2005/36
What does Brexit mean for Veterinary Medicine

- Free movement: 2005/36
  - Allows EU veterinary surgeons to register to work in the UK
Current EU nationals working in the UK

• Post-Brexit CURRENT M’sRCVS
  – No mechanism for membership to be revoked
    • Non payment of fees
    • Professional misconduct

• Visa issues
  – Status of EU nationals CURRENTLY working in UK likely to be an important negotiation point (reciprocity)
Mutual Recognition of Veterinary Degrees

• Mutual recognition by RCVS
  – School by School
  – Country by Country
  – EAEVE accreditation

• Failing that
  – Statutory membership exam

• English Language Requirements
  – Currently only imposed on EU nationals where ‘concerns’ exist
  – IELTS 7.0
Visiting services

• 2005/36/EC
  - Provision of temporary services
  - Pre-purchase examinations
  - Currently a simple TWO WAY process

  - POST BREXIT
  • Recognition of veterinary degrees
  • Rights to work in each country
What does Brexit mean for health and medicines

• Movement of animals
  – Tripartite agreement
    • Not EU legislation BUT relies upon EU legislation

• Legislation
  – Animal Welfare Act
  – Passports and central equine database
  – Medicines Regulations

  – Currently VMD are engaging in EU medicines regulations
    • Important for trade
What does Brexit mean for the UK

EXIT THE EU?

YOU MEAN RESTART THE EMPIRE
Trading partnerships

Source: World Economics, World Bank
What does BREXIT mean?
What does Brexit tell us?

BECAUSE OF DONALD TRUMP, BRITISH CITIZENS HAVE VOTED TO LEAVE THE EUROPEAN UNION!

NO HILLARY. THE BRITISH CITIZENS HAVE DECIDED TO PLACE BRITAIN 1ST. KINDA LIKE AMERICANS NEED TO PLACE AMERICA 1ST!
Why did Britain vote to leave?

- Immigration
- Financial burden
- Sovereignty
- No benefit
- Pensioner power

### Estimated turnout by age

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<td>% of adult population</td>
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*Ipsos Mori “How Britain Voted”

YouGov | yougov.com

February 2016
Post-truth society

Britain has had enough of experts, says Gove

Brexit campaigner offers to have disputed EU contribution figure audited

Justice Secretary Michael Gove takes part in a live Sky News Q&A on Brexit © PA
Why is that relevant?

- The world is changing
- Values
  - Knowledge vs truth
  - Anecdote vs evidence
    - We are no longer
      - The guardians of veterinary knowledge
      - The guardians of veterinary medicines
      - The guardians of diagnostics
- We all need to think about the broader meaning of brexit
So what the hell happens now?
Our own opportunity for BREXIT

- BEVA is a ‘division’ of the British Veterinary Association
  - 15000 members (out of 25,000 M’sRCVS)
    - The ‘Voice of the Profession’
      60 percent?

- Only 25 percent of veterinary graduates
- Provides Journals, member benefits, CPD, representation

The profession in 2030
- Not what the profession needed to represent in 2030
- Lobbying NOT valued by members
An alternative

- An international (European) voice
- Equine Veterinary Profession
  - Provides services
    - Lobbying
    - Education
    - IT; web
    - Buying power
    - Enable the equine profession to embrace change
  - Addresses international challenges
    - Subsidised by member associations
    - VALUED by membership
Questions?

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