Overall agreement on benefits of monograph system – but also issues.

Possibility is there: it's all about the (big devil in the) details!! A number of "ifs" that are not minor.

Clear rules, penalties.

Negative example: MRL implementation, to some extent REACH. Lessons-learned!!!

Benefits of transparency and increased data availability:

- •Potential improvements for RA, for other legislations and impact assessments.
- •Main benefit: collection and availability of validated data.

- VICH Phase I as starting point highly potent active substances less of a priority.
- Evaluation would have to be by CA collectively agreed upon values.
- Discussion on how much old data is available.
- Agree on endpoints.
- Who pays for cost of assessment of monograph??
- Concerns re. costs and burden.
- How is data protection guaranteed?
- Potential alternative to monograph: scientific assessment during SPC harmonisation.

- **Agreement** on benefits of such an approach if:
- 1. care is taken to avoid loss of existing products.
- 2. safeguard measures for data protection, but...
- 3. system needs to avoid unnecessary burden.
- Important to have clear definitions in basic act: terms, quidance. Learn from REACH & Co.!!!!
- Risk-based prioritisation, step-by-step approach => progressive impl., cut-off process??
- How to organise / how to finance assessment????

- **Prioritisation possible cut-off process?**
- How to organise / who pays costs?
- How to reduce burden?
- Learn from experience for MRL, REACH & Co.!!!
- **Avoid loss of existing products!!!**
- **Question of data protection**