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SUMMARY REPORT

A.01 General information by third countries.

No item raised.

A.02 Information point on import-export issues between the EU and UK (GB).

No issues were raised by Member States.

B.01 Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision on the evolution of animal diseases in third countries.

No item raised.

B.02 Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Regulation amending certain Annexes to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 laying down the lists of third countries, territories or parts thereof from which the entry into the Union of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin is permitted in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and the Council.

The Commission presented draft Implementing Regulation correcting and amending Regulation (EU) 2021/404 addressing certain inconsistencies between the lists of third countries, territories or zones thereof authorised for the entry into the Union under the Animal Health Law, and applicable from 21 April 2021, and the lists of third countries authorised for imports into the Union laid down in a number of EU legal acts which were repealed as from that date.

Outcome of the vote by written consultation: Favourable opinion.

B.03 Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Regulation amending Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235 as regards the addition of a new model certificate for products of animal origin that originate in the Union and are moved to a third country or territory and moved back to the Union after unloading, storage and reloading in that third country or territory, and amending Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 as regards the list of third countries authorised for entry into the Union of products of animal origin originated in and returning to the Union from a third country or territory.

The draft text was explained by the Commission. Some Member States commented on the proposed measures and asked for some additional requirements. They were invited to send written comments in view of future vote by written consultation.

Outcome of the vote by written consultation: Favourable opinion.