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**AGENDA**

**Section A Information and/or discussion**

**A.01** General Information by Member States.

**A.02** Reminder on official checks related to the export of live animals to non-EU countries. (MK/DS)

The Commission will remind the Member States of their obligations to strictly apply the provisions of Council Regulation (EC) No 1/2005 on the protection of animals during transport, in the context of export of live animals to non-EU countries (especially to the Middle East).

Last year the Commission issued suggestions concerning the most critical points regarding the transport of animals by road to non-EU countries by a letter of all CVOs (Ref. ARES(2016)2989829 of 28/06/2016). The Commission will remind the content and key principles of this letter and, in the light of the last year experience, will invite Member States to share information on how they implemented these suggestions. In addition the Commission will update the Member States on some actions that the Commission is currently doing on this issue.

**A.03** Results of the 2016 rabies eradication programmes of Bulgaria, Greece, Romania and Hungary. (PRM)

**A.04** Information from Spain, Portugal, Italy, Greece and Croatia on the results of the implementation of their ovine and caprine brucellosis eradication programmes in 2016. (NK)

**A.05** Information from Spain, Portugal and Italy on the results of the implementation of their bovine brucellosis eradication programmes in 2016. (NK)

**A.06** Information from the Commission and Member States on highly pathogenic avian influenza. (MP)

**A.07** Information concerning a declaration from Germany of disease free status with regard to infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN) and viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS) for the zone "Wassreinzugsgebiet der Sülze bis zur Mündung in die Werra bei Untermaßfeld". (KR)

The declaration concerns disease free status as regards IHN and VHS for a zone comprising a fish farm producing salmonids for human consumption, and two holdings keeping fish for hobby purposes.

**A.08** Information concerning a declaration from Italy of disease free status with regard to infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN) and viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS) for the compartment "Centro Ittico Sperimentale di Tomo". (KR)

The declaration concerns disease free status as regards IHN and VHS for a compartment in the Vento region comprising a farm which is reactivated after renovation and total disinfection.

**A.09** Information concerning a declaration from Slovenia of disease free status with regard to infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN) and viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS) for the compartment "Črna". (KR)

The declaration concerns disease free status as regards IHN and VHS for a compartment comprising a fish farm managed by the fishing family Žiri and parts of the stream " Črna", which produces brown trout for the repopulation of open waters.

**A.10** Review of the African Swine Fever Strategy for Eastern Part of the EU. (FB)

(A.10\_SANTE\_7113\_2015 Rev7)

## **Section B**     **Draft(s) presented for an opinion**

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

(B.01\_Emergency disease)

**Procedure:** Examination procedure

**B.02** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision correcting the French language version of Commission

Decision 2004/558/EC implementing Council Directive 64/432/EEC as regards additional guarantees for intra-Community trade in bovine animals relating to infectious bovine rhinotracheitis and the approval of the eradication programmes presented by certain Member States. (RS)

The scope of this Implementing Decision is to correct a translation error in the French language version of Commission Decision 2004/558/EC. The versions in other languages are not affected.

**Legal Basis:** Council Directive 64/432/EEC, Articles 9(2) and 10(2)

**Procedure:** Examination procedure

- B.03** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision amending Part 2 of Annex E to Council Directive 92/65/EEC as regards the requirements for small hive beetle and the description of the commodities in the health certificate for trade in bees and bumble bees. (PB/LK)

Proposal to add alternatives to existing SHB requirements for honey bees and bumble bees and to improve the description of the traded commodities

(B.03\_SANTE\_7031\_2017)

**Legal Basis:** Council Directive 92/65/EEC, first paragraph of Article 22

**Procedure:** Examination procedure

- B.04** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision amending Implementing Decision 2014/709/EU concerning animal health control measures relating to African swine fever in certain Member States. (FB)

Update on the measures of ASF regionalization and on the delineation of the area to be regionalized.

(B.04\_SANTE\_7050\_2017)

**Legal Basis:** Council Directive 89/662/EEC, Article 9(4); Council Directive 90/425/EEC, Article 10(4); Council Directive 2002/99/EC, Article 4(3)

**Procedure:** Examination procedure

- B.05** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision amending Implementing Decision (EU) 2016/2008 concerning animal health control measures relating to lumpy skin disease in certain Member States. (DD)

(B.05\_SANTE\_7062\_2017)

**Legal Basis:** Council Directive 92/119/EEC, in particular Articles 14(2), 19(1)(a), (3)(a), (4) and (6)  
**Procedure:** Examination procedure

**Section C**     **Draft(s) presented for discussion**

**C.01** Exchange of views of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision on certain protection measures in relation to the fungus *Batrachochytrium salamandrivorans* (Bsal). (PB/LK)

Follow-up to EFSA Scientific and technical assistance concerning the survival, establishment and spread of *Batrachochytrium salamandrivorans* (Bsal) in the EU: <https://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/efsajournal/pub/4739> .

(C.01\_SANTE\_7057\_2017)

**Legal Basis:** Council Directive 90/425/EEC, Article 10(4); Council Directive 91/496/EEC, Article 18(1)  
**Procedure:** Examination procedure