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<b>AGENDA</b>
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**Section A**     **Information and/or discussion**

**A.01**   General Information related to Third Countries.

**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 Third Countries.

(B.01\_Emergency disease)

**Procedure:** Examination procedure

**B.02**   Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision amending the model certificate for imports of meat preparations in Annex II to Decision 2000/572/EC and the model certificate for imports of certain meat products, treated stomachs, bladders and intestines in Annex III to Decision 2007/777/EC in relation to the rules for the prevention, control and eradication of certain transmissible spongiform encephalopathies. (HH/PB)

This draft will update the models of certain veterinary certificates for importation of products of bovine, ovine and caprine animal origin, as regards requirements for bovine spongiform encephalopathy (BSE), to reflect the requirements of Regulation (EC) No 999/2001, as amended by Regulation (EC) 2016/1396.

(B.02\_SANTE\_7105\_2016)

**Legal Basis:** Council Directive 2002/99/EC, Articles 9(2)(b) and 9(4); Regulation (EC) No 853/2004, Article 7(2)(a); Regulation (EC) 854/2004, Article 16  
**Procedure:** Examination procedure

- B.03** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission implementing Regulation amending model of veterinary certificates BOV-X, BOV-Y, BOV and OVI in Annexes I and II to Regulation (EU) No 206/2010, the model certificates GEL, COL, RCG and TCG in Annex II to Regulation (EU) 2016/759 and the model certificate for composite products in Annex I to Regulation No 28/2012 in relation to the rules for the prevention, control and eradication of certain transmissible spongiform encephalopathies (HH/PB)

This draft will update the models of certain veterinary certificates for importation live bovine animals and of products of bovine, ovine and caprine animal origin, as regards requirements for bovine spongiform encephalopathy (BSE), to reflect the requirements of Regulation (EC) No 999/2001, as amended by Regulation (EC) 2016/1396.

(B.03\_SANTE\_7104\_2016)

**Legal Basis:** Council Directive 2002/99/EC, Articles 9(2)(b) and 9(4); Council Directive 2004/68/EC, Article 13(1)(e); Regulation (EC) No 854/2004, Article 16  
**Procedure:** Examination procedure

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

- C.01** Exchange of views of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Regulation on the conditions for the entry into the Union of live equidae and of their semen, ova and embryos. (AEF/EC)

This draft Regulation will replace the following legal acts: Commission Decisions 2004/211/EC, 92/260/EEC, 93/195/EEC, 93/196/EEC, 93/197/EEC and 2010/57/EC, and Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2015/261.

Aim of this draft Regulation is to:

- reduce number of certificates,
- adapt format of certificates to be in line with Commission Decision 2007/240/EC,
- adapt animal health requirements to the latest recommendations in the Terrestrial Animal Health Code of the World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) in a framework of Directive 2009/156/EC,
- update some testing methods, i.e. for vesicular stomatitis,
- clarify the procedures for: temporary admission of registered horses, re-entry of registered horses, imports of equidae for slaughter.

(C.01\_SANTE\_7113\_2016 rev3)

**Legal Basis:** Council Directive 91/496/EEC, in particular Articles 3(2) and 9(1)(c); Council Directive 92/65/EEC, in particular Article 17(3); Council Directive 2009/156/EC, in particular Articles 2(i), 12(1), (4) and (5), 13(2), 15, 16, 17 and 19

**Procedure:** Examination procedure

- C.02** Exchange of views of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision laying down the animal health and veterinary certification conditions for the re-entry of registered horses for competition after temporary export to Turkmenistan, amending Annex I to Decision 93/195/EEC as regards the entry for Turkmenistan and amending Annex I to Decision 2004/211/EC as regards the entry for Turkmenistan in the list of third countries and parts thereof from which imports into the Union of live equidae and semen, ova and embryos of the equine species are authorised. (AEF/EC)

The equestrian events of the 2017 Asian Indoor and Martial Arts Games will take place in Ashgabat, Turkmenistan, during the period 17 to 27 September 2017. The scope of this Decision is to set the health and certification conditions for the re-entry of EU competition horses, to assign Turkmenistan to a specific Sanitary Group for the application of these health conditions, and to amend the list of third countries from which re-entry into the Union of registered horses for racing, competition and cultural events after temporary export is authorized.

(C.02\_SANTE\_7013\_2017)

**Legal Basis:** Council Directive 92/65/EEC, in particular Article 17(3)(a); Council Directive 2009/156/EC, in particular Article 12(1) and (4), and the introductory phrase and points (a) and (b) of Article 19

**Procedure:** Examination procedure