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

- A.01** Overview of new outbreaks of harmful organisms notified by Member States.
  
- A.02** Presentation by the European Food Safety Authority of the Scientific Opinion of the Panel on Plant Health regarding the pathogenicity testing of *Vitis* sp. for *Xylella fastidiosa*, followed by an exchange of views.
  
- A.03** Exchange of views concerning a possible amendment of the special requirements in Annex IV Part A Section II of Directive 2000/29/EC as regards the certification scheme of certain fruit plants.
  
- A.04** Presentation by the Commission of a USDA-APHIS request concerning a possible amendment of Annex IV, part A to Council Directive 2000/29/EC in relation to *Xanthomonas campestris* (all strains pathogenic to Citrus), followed by an exchange of views.
  
- A.05** Presentation by the Commission of the outcome of the evaluation procedure of survey programmes submitted by Member States for Union financial contribution for 2016: list of the programmes technically approved and preliminary amount allocated to each programme.
  
- A.06** Information by the Commission on the outcome of the reallocation exercise in relation to the EU financial contribution for the 2015 survey programmes.

**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 amending Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2015/789 as regards measures to prevent the introduction into and the spread within the Union of *Xylella fastidiosa* (Wells et al.).

(B.01\_SANTE\_11660\_2015)

**Legal Basis:** fourth sentence of Article 16(3) of Council Directive 2000/29/EC

**Procedure:** Examination procedure

- B.02** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision on recognition of certain areas of Canada and the United States as being free from *Agrilus planipennis* Fairmaire, Emerald Ash borer.

(B.02\_SANTE\_12119\_2015)

**Legal Basis:** points 2.3, 2.4 and 2.5 of Section I of Part A of Annex IV to Council Directive 2000/29/EC

**Procedure:** Examination procedure

- B.03** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision extending Implementing Decision 2014/237/EU on measures to prevent the introduction into and the spread within the Union of harmful organisms as regards certain fruits and vegetables originating in India.

(B.03\_SANTE\_11868\_2015)

**Legal Basis:** third sentence of Article 16(3) of Council Directive 2000/29/EC

**Procedure:** Examination procedure

- B.04** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision laying down the procedures for the submission of applications for grants and requests for payment, in respect of the emergency measures against plant pests referred to in Regulation (EU) No 652/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council.

(B.04\_SANTE\_11895\_2015)

**Legal Basis:** Article 16 of Regulation (EU) No 652/2014

**Procedure:** Examination procedure

