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**Standing Committee on Plants, Animals, Food and Feed**  
**Section *Seeds and Propagating Material for Agriculture and Horticulture***  
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<b>AGENDA</b>
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**Section A**     **Information and/or discussion**

- A.01** Report on the implementation of Commission Decision 2004/842/EC on the placing on the market of seed of not yet listed varieties.
- A.02** Update on OECD Seed Scheme matters.
- A.03** Discussion of the requirements for soybean, in particular the germination rate, the threshold for inert matter and the inclusion of quality pests.
- A.04** Exchange of views on the use of common names on the vegetable Directive.
- A.05** Presentation of a working document on true potato seeds.

**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 providing for the temporary marketing of certain seed of the species *Beta vulgaris* L., not satisfying the requirements of Council Directive 2002/54/EC.

(B.01\_SANTE\_11465\_2016)

**Legal Basis:** Article 24 of Council Directive 2002/54/EC

**Procedure:** Examination procedure

- B.02** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision amending Decision 2010/680/EC releasing Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Germany, Estonia, Ireland, Spain, France, Cyprus, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Slovenia, Slovakia, Finland, Sweden and the United Kingdom from the obligation to apply to certain species Council Directives 66/401/EEC, 66/402/EEC, 68/193/EEC, 1999/105/EC, 2002/54/EC, 2002/55/EC and 2002/57/EC on the marketing of fodder plant seed, cereal seed, material for the vegetative propagation of the vine, forest reproductive material, beet seed, vegetable seed and seed of oil and fibre plants respectively.

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**Legal Basis:** Article 23a of Council Directive 66/401/EEC; Article 28 of Council Directive 2002/57/EC

**Procedure:** Examination procedure

- B.03** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision providing for the temporary marketing of seed of the *Hordeum vulgare* L. variety Scrabble, not satisfying the requirements of Council Directive 66/402/EEC.

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**Legal Basis:** Article 17 of Council Directive 66/402/EEC

**Procedure:** Examination procedure