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AGENDA

Section A **Information and/or discussion**

- A.01** Exchange of views on a request from France to be authorised to prescribe appropriate cultivation conditions for varieties made herbicide-tolerant under Article 16(2) of Directive 2002/53 on the common catalogue of varieties of agricultural plant species.
- A.02** Presentation by the Commission of a report on the implementation of Regulation (EC) N° 217/2006 as regards the authorisation of Member States to permit temporarily the marketing of seed not satisfying the requirements in respect of the minimum germination.
- A.03** Temporary experiment under Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2020/1106 as regards the official checking rate for field inspection under official supervision – state of play.
- A.04** Exchange of views on the application of EU hemp seed legislation.
- A.05** Exchange of views on the application of Commission Directive 2010/60/EU on preservation mixtures.
- A.06** Technical examination on Distinctness, Uniformity and Stability (DUS) in the context of variety registration and plant variety rights.
- A.07** Exchange of views on a possible extension of the temporary experiment on true potato seed with new elements.
- A.08** Update on the unique EU plant variety IT system and new common catalogue database.
- A.09** Update on the approach to seed fraud.

A.10 Follow-up and state of play of EU equivalence requests.

A.11 Follow-up of OECD Seed Scheme technical issues.

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 Council Directive 2002/56/EC as regards the date laid down in Article 21(3) until which Member States are authorised to extend the validity of decisions concerning equivalence of seed potatoes from third countries

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Legal Basis: Council Directive 2002/56/EC - Article 21(3)

Procedure: Examination procedure