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Standing Committee on Plants, Animals, Food and Feed
Section *Propagating Material of Plants of Fruit Genera and Species*
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SUMMARY REPORT

B.01 Exchange of views and possible opinion on a draft Commission Implementing Decision amending Council Directive 2008/90/EC as regards the extension of the derogation relating to import conditions for fruit plant propagating material and fruit plants intended for fruit production from third countries (SANTE/852/2022)

The Commission presented the text.

Vote taken: Favourable opinion.

C.01 Exchange of views on a draft Commission Implementing Directive amending Commission Directive 93/49/EEC and Implementing Directive 2014/98/EU as regards Union regulated non-quarantine pests on propagating material of ornamental plants, fruit plant propagating material and fruit plants intended for fruit production.

The Commission presented the text and an exchange of views took place. The Commission clarified that certain Regulated non-quarantine pests (RNQPs), occurring in the previous version, had been deleted because it was decided to keep the current wording on the notion of “pest free areas”. The Commission will examine if in pest free areas the derogation that applies to visual inspections could also apply to sampling and testing. Following comments from a few Member States, the Commission will verify the host species listed for *Pseudomonas syringae* pv. *actinidiae* and review the Article on transitional measures for propagating material and fruit plants that do not comply with the requirements of the EU certification scheme. Member States were asked to send written comments by 4 October 2022.