

EUROPEAN COMMISSION HEALTH & CONSUMERS DIRECTORATE-GENERAL Directorate G TRADE DIRECTORATE-GENERAL Directorate C

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Agenda for the preparatory meeting of 19th September for the WTO SPS Committee of 19-20 October 2011

The meeting will prepare the **October session of the** WTO Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary measures (SPSC) which will hold its fifty-second regular meeting from **19 - 20 October 2011** at the Centre William Rappard, Geneva. Informal meetings are scheduled for the previous day, **18 October 2011** on *ad hoc* consultations for the resolution of trade disputes, on issues arising from the Third Review and on Private Standards. A workshop on SPS coordination at the national and regional levels both in terms of relations with the SPSC and with the three sisters is scheduled for **17 October 2011**.

I. THE SPS AGENDA

I.1. Information from Members – Agenda Item 2

- I.1.1. Update on the situation on FMD in Bulgaria
- *I.1.2.* Update on the situation on E.coli incident
- I.2. Specific Trade Concerns (STC) Agenda Item 3
- I.3. Ad hoc Consultations Agenda Item 9.1
- I.4. Third Review Agenda Item 9.2 and in particular state of play of the next Workshop in October on SPS coordination at national and regional levels
- I.5. Private Standards Agenda Item 11

II. SPS- MARKET ACCESS ISSUES

- **II.1.** Main developments
- II.2. Information on resolution or progress made on market access issues
- II.3. Exchange of information on other Market Access issues