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**STANDING COMMITTEE ON PLANTS, ANIMALS, FOOD AND FEED
SECTION PLANT HEALTH**

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AGENDA

Section A Information and/or discussion

- A.1. Miscellaneous.
- A.2. Presentation by the Commission of the final report of an audit carried out in India from 2 to 12 September 2014 in order to evaluate the system of official controls for the export of plants and plant products to the European Union, followed by an exchange of views.
- A.3. Presentation by the Commission of the report and the recommendations of the Commission working group meeting of 30-31 October 2014 concerning the listing of harmful organisms of Annex IIAII to Directive 2000/29/EC, followed by an exchange of views.
- A.4. Presentation by the Commission of an overview of Member States plant health checks between 1 April and 30 September 2014 on wood packaging material actually in use in the transport of specified commodities originating in China, in line with Decision 2013/92/EU, followed by an exchange of views on the future of this Decision.
- A.5. Presentation by the Commission of the list of eligible survey programmes for 2015 proposed for Union co-financing, as a follow-up to the programmes submitted by Member States by 30 April 2014 under Article 23.6 of Directive 2000/29/EC.
- A.6. Presentation by France of a pest risk analysis for *Plasmopara halstedii*, followed by an exchange of views.

- A.7. Presentation by the Commission on the use by Member States of temporary derogations from certain provisions of Council Directive 2000/29/EC in respect of:
- a) oak logs (*Quercus* L.) with bark attached, originating in the United States of America (Decision 2005/359/EC)
 - b) bark-free sawn wood of *Quercus* L., *Platanus* L. and *Acer saccharum* Marsh., originating in the United States of America (Decision 2013/780/EU)
 - c) naturally or artificially dwarfed plants of cypress (*Chamaecyparis* Spach), juniper (*Juniperus* L.) and pine (*Pinus* L.), originating respectively in Japan (Decision 2002/887/EC) or in Korea (Decision 2002/499/EC)
 - d) soil contaminated by pesticides or persistent organic pollutants for decontamination purposes (Decision 2005/51/EC)
 - e) trial or scientific purposes and work on varietal selections (Directive 2008/61/EC)
 - f) plants of strawberry (*Fragaria* L.) intended for planting, other than seeds, originating respectively in Argentina (Decision 2003/248/EC) or in Chile (Decision 2003/249/EC)

Section B Drafts presented for an opinion

- B.1. Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision authorising Member States to provide for a derogation from certain provisions of Council Directive 2000/29/EC in respect of wood packaging material of conifers (Coniferales) in the form of ammunition boxes originating in the United States of America under the control of the United States Department of Defence.**

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Legal Basis: Article 15(1) of Council Directive 2000/29/EC

Procedure: Examination procedure

Section C **Draft presented for discussion**

- C.1. Exchange of views of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision amending Implementing Decision 2012/535/EU as regards the definition of susceptible wood and requirements on actions to be taken in demarcated areas.**

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

Procedure: Examination procedure