



# Reporting on Decision 2018/320/EU, follow-up on Bsal

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**PAFF Committee**  
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# Reporting on 2018/320/EU and recent events

- *No imports from third countries*
- *Very little trade between Member States*
  - **4 consignments, 172 animals**
- *Enforcement experience*
  - **Sweden, illegal import of 443 salamanders**
- *OIE:*
  - **Bsal Chapter in Aquatic Manual not adopted**
  - **Revision of Chapter in Aquatic Code not started**
- *Global science:*
  - **Apparently studies ongoing (e.g in US) but no results yet**
- *Other: a pilot project under DG ENV finished*
  - **Situation is largely as 2-3 years ago (BE, NL, DE, UK, ES)**
  - **Increased experience with PCR testing**
  - **<http://bsaleurope.com/>**

# AH legislation

- *Animal Health Law*
- *Implementing Regulation (EU) 2018/1882: Bsal*
- *„Other animals“: neither terrestrial, nor aquatic*
- *Not covered by Delegated or Implementing Acts*
- *CID 2018/320/EU applies until 20 April 2020*
- *„pet trade“, „traded pets“ = trade*
- *Pets = non-commercial movement (no transfer of ownership + moves with owner or representative)*
- *Illegal movements, exchanges, releases into the wild*

# Food for thought

- *Continue temporary measures after April 2021*
- *List of approved non-EU countries: OIE Members*
- *No minimum size for epidemiological unit*
- *Testing with PCR or treatment in quarantine*
- *Pooling of samples up to 4*
- *Confined establishments are special*
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