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SUMMARY REPORT

B.01 Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) adapting Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/585 concerning a coordinated multiannual programme of the Union for 2021, 2022 and 2023 as regards the numbers of samples to be taken and analysed by each Member State in view of the withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the Union.

The Commission provided an overview of the number of samples to be taken by the Member States in light of the withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the EU. The draft Regulation re-allocates the number of samples for EU Member States and the UK in respect of Northern Ireland based on EFSA's publication¹ regarding the current population distribution among EU MSs and the territory of Northern Ireland.

The Committee agreed to vote by written procedure in accordance with Article 3(5) of Regulation (EC) No 182/2011.

Outcome of the vote: Favourable opinion.

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