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AGENDA

Section A Information and/or discussion

A.01 General information by Member States.

A.02 Discussion on the Work Programme 2021-2022 for veterinary programmes. (VP)

A.03 Commission update on reporting received on infection with SARS-CoV-2 in minks and other animals of the family Mustelidae and in raccoon dogs. (FB)

Based on Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2020/2183 of 21 December 2020 concerning certain protective measures in relation to reporting infection with SARS-CoV-2 in minks and other animals of the family Mustelidae and in raccoon dogs.

A.04 Future of SARS-CoV-2 surveillance in Mustelidae and raccoon dogs in the EU. (FB)

Taking into account the latest scientific report by EFSA on Monitoring of SARS-CoV-2 infection in mink and Mustelidae.

A.05 Information from Italy on results of surveillance activity carried out for small hive beetle (*Aethina tumida*). (LK)

Surveillance activities are presented in application of Commission Implementing Decision 2014/909/EU and in light of its review.

A.06 Information from the Commission on ongoing work on two future Commission acts for specific official controls and minimum frequencies thereof to verify compliance with animal health requirements, including for identification and registration of certain terrestrial animals. (LK)

The two future acts are intended to provide for certain specificities on the basis of Article 20(2) and (3) of Regulation (EU) 2017/625, respectively, for official controls on the area of animal health requirements, including those by Commission Regulations (EC) No 1082/2003 and (EC) No 1505/2006.

- A.07** Information concerning a declaration from France on a surveillance programme for viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS) and infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN): zone of the Meuse. (LK)
- A.08** Information concerning a declaration from France on disease free status for viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS) and infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN): dependent compartment of the Thèze. (LK)
- A.09** Information concerning a declaration from France on disease free status for viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS) and infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN): zone of the upper Yonne. (LK)
- A.10** Information concerning a declaration from France on disease free status for viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS) and infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN): zone of the upper Chalaux. (LK)
- A.11** Information concerning a declaration from France on disease free status for viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS) and infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN): zone of the upper Vrin. (LK)
- A.12** Information concerning a declaration from France on a surveillance programme for viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS) and infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN): dependent compartment of the Celle. (LK)
- A.13** Information concerning a declaration from France on disease free status for viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS) and infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN): dependent compartment Trotarium Trotilcoltura Bellunese Soc. Agricola Semplice. (LK)
- A.14** Information from Poland on the first outbreak of rabies in 2021. (PRM)
- A.15** Information on activities related to the implementation of the Animal Health Law. (BL)
- A.16** Information from Member States on African swine fever. (SF)
- A.17** Information from the Member States on highly pathogenic avian influenza. (IDC)
The Member States affected by highly pathogenic avian influenza outbreaks in poultry will present the updated epidemiological situation with the disease.

Section B **Draft(s) presented for an opinion**

- B.01** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision on the evolution of animal diseases in the Union.
(Emergency disease)

Procedure: Examination procedure

- B.02** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Regulation laying down special control measures for African swine fever. (ZI)
(SANTE/7260/2020)
Legal Basis: Regulation (EU) 2016/429 - Article 71(3)
Procedure: Examination procedure
- B.03** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision approving the plan for the eradication of African swine fever in feral pigs in certain areas of Germany. (ZI)
(SANTE/7044/2021)
Legal Basis: Council Directive 2002/60/EC - Article 16(1)
Procedure: Examination procedure
- B.04** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Regulation approving the status of Member States, zones or compartments and approving eradication programmes for certain listed diseases referred to in points (a), (b) and (c) of Article 9(1) of Regulation (EU)2016/429. (PRM)
(SANTE/7166/2020)
Legal Basis: Regulation (EU) 2016/429 - Articles 31(3), 36(4) and 37(4)(a)
Procedure: Examination procedure
- B.05** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Regulation repealing Commission Regulation (EC) No 535/2002, Commission Regulation (EC) No 1226/2002, Commission Decision 2002/598/EC, Commission Decision 2004/226/EC, Commission Decision 2006/563/EC and Commission Decision 2008/946/EC. (PRM)
(SANTE/7360/2020)
Legal Basis: Council Directive 64/432/EEC - Articles 6(2)(b), 16(1) and the third indent of paragraph 4(i) in Annex A(II), Council Directive 90/425/EEC - Article 10, Council Directive 2006/88/EC - Articles 25 and 61(3)
Procedure: Examination procedure
- B.06** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision amending the Annex to Implementing Decision 2014/709/EU concerning animal health control measures relating to African swine fever in certain Member State. (SF)
(SANTE/7028/2021)
Legal Basis: Council Directive 2002/99/EC - Article 4(3), Council Directive 90/425/EEC - Article 10(4), Council Directive 89/662/EEC - Article 9(4)
Procedure: Examination procedure

- B.07** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision amending the Annex to Implementing Decision (EU) 2020/1809 concerning certain protective measures in relation to outbreaks of highly pathogenic avian influenza in certain Member States. (IDC)

Regionalization at EU level should be revised to be adapted to the epidemiological situation.

(SANTE/7010/2021)

Legal Basis: Council Directive 89/662/EEC - Article 9(4), Council Directive 90/425/EEC - Article 10(4)

Procedure: Examination procedure

- B.08** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Regulation amending Regulation (EU) No 142/2011 as regards conditions for exports of certain organic fertilisers and soil improvers containing Category 2 materials. (MK)

The draft provides for rules on exports of organic fertilisers and soil improvers containing meat-and-bone meal of Category 2 materials.

(SANTE/7142/2020)

Legal Basis: Regulation (EC) No 1069/2009 - Article 32(3)(a) and the first subparagraph of Article 43(3)

Procedure: Regulatory procedure with scrutiny

Section C **Draft(s) presented for discussion**

- C.01** Exchange of views of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Regulation concerning special control measures relating to classical swine fever. (FB)

Working document for preparing the follow-up to Commission Implementing Decision 2013/764/EU of 13 December 2013 concerning animal health control measures relating to classical swine fever in certain Member States

(SANTE/7046/2021)

Legal Basis: Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council - Article 71(3)

Procedure: Examination procedure

- C.02** Exchange of views of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision concerning certain protective measures in relation to reporting infection with SARS-CoV-2 in minks and other animals of the family Mustelidae and in raccoon dogs. (FB)

Measures to be put in place once Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2020/2183 expires.

(SANTE/7048/2021)

Legal Basis: Regulation (EU) 2016/429 - Article 259

Procedure: Examination procedure

C.03 Exchange of views and possible technical agreement of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Regulation laying down rules for the application of Regulations (EU) 2016/429, (EU) 2016/1012 and (EU) 2019/6 of the European Parliament and of the Council with regard to the identification and registration of equine animals and establishing model identification documents for those animals. (AEF/EC)

(SANTE/7004/2019)

Legal Basis: Regulation (EU) 2016/429 - Article 120(1) and (2), Regulation (EU) 2016/1012 - Article 32(2), Regulation (EU) 2019/6 - Article 109(2)

Procedure: Examination procedure