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Subject: Update of the validity of the official declaration submitted by National Plant Protection
Organization of Bosnia and Herzegovina concerning the status of *Xylella fastidiosa* in the territory
of the country

Respectide,

With regards to the above mentioned subject, related to the status of the pest *Xylella fastidiosa* in
the territory of Bosnia and Herzegovina, I would like to declare the following:

*„Xylella fastidiosa is known not to be present in the territory of Bosnia and Herzegovina on the
basis official survey:inspection, sampling and molecular testing carried by the competent authority
in Bosnia and Herzegovina, using a test listed in Annex IV of Regulation (EU) 2020/1201, and in
accordance with relevant ISPM measures.*

Additionally, I would like to inform you that declaration submitted is in line with Decision (EU)
789/2015 can be still considered valid by the Commission, meaning that it fulfils as it stands also
the obligations laid down in the first sentence of Article 28 (1) of Regulation (EU) 2020/1201.

Sincerely Yours,

