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AGENDA

Section A Information and/or discussion

- A.01** General information by Member States.
- A.02** Lessons learned from an audit in Slovenia on exports of live animals by sea. (TC)
Findings indicate that Member States, other than Slovenia, also need to identify a transporter responsible for the transport of animals by sea, as well as ensuring that organisers have planned the journey appropriately. Member States which do inspections of sea vessels, especially France, Spain and Romania, also need to do review these checks.
- A.03** Information on Newcastle disease in Belgium. (MP)
- A.04** Information from the European Reference Laboratory on surveillance for avian influenza carried out in poultry and wild birds in Member States during 2017. (MP)
(SANTE/7067/2018)
- A.05** Outcomes of the third meeting of the EU Platform on Animal Welfare. (MKU)
- A.06** Information from Slovenia concerning a declaration of freedom from viral haemorrhagic septicemia (VHS) and infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN) for an independent compartment comprising the the stream "Šujica" and the fish farm "Koligar". (MM)
- A.07** Information from Denmark regarding a declaration concerning withdrawal of disease free status regarding *Marteilia Refringens*. (MM)
- A.08** Information from Slovenia concerning declaration of freedom from viral haemorrhagic septicemia (VHS) and infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN) for the zone "Sava Bohinjka". (MM)
- A.09** Presentation of the Danish action plan against African swine fever. (SF)

- A.10** Update from Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland and Romania on the epidemiological situation, control and surveillance measures applied as regards African swine fever. (SF)
- A.11** Information concerning two declarations from Norway on disease free status for Infectious Salmon Anaemia (ISA) of an independent compartment Rimstad in Tingvoll Municipality and of a dependent compartment Nystølvågen in Fusa municipality. (LK)
- A.12** Report on the EU Veterinary Emergency Team (EUVET) mission on Peste des Petits Ruminants in Bulgaria. (DD)
- A.13** Update information by Austria on an outbreak of *Brucella melitensis* in cattle. (JD)
An update to the presentation given at the committee meeting 13 July.
- A.14** Update from the Commission on highly pathogenic avian influenza in the EU. (MP)
- A.15** Information from Germany on highly pathogenic avian influenza in Germany. (MP)

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 Decision on the financing of the Union contribution to the European Union reference laboratories and the European Union reference centres for 2019 and 2020. (SG)
(SANTE/10795/2018)
Legal Basis: Regulation (EC) No 652/2014 - Article 30
Procedure: Examination procedure
- B.03** Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision amending Annexes I and II to Decision 2003/467/EC as regards the declaration of certain regions of Italy as officially tuberculosis-free and officially brucellosis-free in relation to bovine herds. (JD)
The draft was presented, and not voted, at the Committee meeting 13 July
(SANTE/7062/2018)
Legal Basis: Council Directive 64/432/EEC - Article 10
Procedure: Examination procedure

B.04 Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision concerning certain protective measures relating to African swine fever in Bulgaria. (FB)

(SANTE/7096/2018)

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

Procedure: Examination procedure

B.05 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 States. (SF)

(SANTE/7090/2018)

Legal Basis: Council Directive 90/425/EEC - Article 10(4), Council Directive 89/662/EEC - Article 9(4), Council Directive 2002/99/EC - Article 4(3)

Procedure: Examination procedure

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

C.01 Exchange of views of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Regulation on the application of certain disease prevention and control rules to categories of listed diseases and establishing a list of species and groups of species posing a considerable risk for the spread of those listed diseases. (LPA/BL)

(SANTE/7020/2018)

Legal Basis: Regulation (EU) 2016/429 - Articles 8(2) and 9(2)

Procedure: Examination procedure