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AGENDA

SECTION A Information and/or discussion

- 1. Miscellaneous.
- 2. Information by the Commission on the request from Thailand to recognize the Thai certification scheme for orchid cut flowers for passengers, followed by an exchange of views.
- 3. Presentation by the Commission of a final report of an audit carried out in Argentina from 29 August to 09 September 2011 in order to evaluate the system of official controls and certification of citrus fruit for export to the European Union, followed by an exchange of views.
- 4. Presentation by the Commission of the findings of an audit carried out in Brazil from 07 November 2011 to 18 November 2011 in order to evaluate the system of official controls and certification of citrus fruit for export to the European Union, followed by an exchange of views.
- 5. Exchange of views on the 2011 results of the phytosanitary import inspections of citrus fruit from Brazil in application of Commission Decision 2004/416/EC.
- 6. Presentation by the Commission of the 2011 overview report of the Member States' monitoring results for specified harmful organisms related to the protected zones, both temporarily and permanently recognized in Commission Regulation (EC) No 690/2008, followed by an exchange of views.
- 7. Presentation by the Commission of the 2011 overview report of Member States' monitoring results for *Phytophthora ramorum*, followed by an exchange of views on the revision of the regulatory status of this organism.
- 8. Presentation by the Commission of the 2011 overview report of Member States' monitoring results for *Bursaphelenchus xylophilus*.

SECTION B Draft presented for a possible opinion

9. Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision on a Union financial contribution to a programme for the control of organisms harmful to plants and plant products in the French overseas departments for 2012. (Doc. SANCO/12908/2011) (Legal Base: Article 17.3 of Council Regulation (EC) N° 247/2006) (Opinion of the Committee via the examination procedure)

SECTION C Drafts presented for discussion

- 10. Exchange of views on a draft Commission Implementing Decision on emergency measures to prevent the introduction into and the spread within the Union of *Bursaphelenchus xylophylus* (Steiner et Buhrer) Nickle *et al.* (the pine wood nematode) and repealing Commission Decision 2006/133/EC. (Doc. SANCO/10796/2011) (Legal Base: Article 16.1 of Council Directive 2000/29/EC) (Opinion of the Committee via the examination procedure)
- 11. Exchange of views on a draft Commission Implementing Decision as regards emergency measures to prevent the introduction into and spread within the Union of *Epitrix* spp. (Doc. SANCO/10126/2012) (Legal Base: Article 16.1 of Council Directive 2000/29/EC) (Opinion of the Committee via the examination procedure)
- 12. Exchange of views on a draft Commission Implementing Decision as regards emergency measures to prevent the introduction into and spread within the Union of *Pseudomonas syringae* pv *actinidiae*. (Doc. SANCO/10316/2012) (Legal Base: Article 16.3 of Council Directive 2000/29/EC) (Opinion of the Committee via the examination procedure)
- 13. Exchange of views on a draft Commission Implementing Decision as regards emergency measures to prevent the introduction into and spread within the Union of *Diabrotica virgifera virgifera*. (Doc. SANCO/13079/2011) (Legal Base: Article 16.3 of Council Directive 2000/29/EC) (Opinion of the Committee via the examination procedure)
- 14. Exchange of views on a draft Commission Implementing Regulation amending regulation (EC) No 690/2008 recognising protected zones exposed to particular plant health risks in the Community. (Doc. SANCO/10128/2012) (Legal Base: Article 2(1)(h) of Council Directive 2000/29/EC) (Opinion of the Committee via the examination procedure)