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**STANDING COMMITTEE ON SEEDS AND PROPAGATING MATERIAL FOR AGRICULTURE,  
HORTICULTURE FORESTRY AND VINE**

**AGENDA – WEDNESDAY 16 MAY 2012**

**SECTION A Information and/or discussion**

1. Presentation of the results of the meeting of the Working Group on seed potatoes held on 12 April.
2. Discussion on an update of certain Annexes of the Seeds and Propagating Material (S&PM) Directives as regards the conditions to be satisfied by the seed of *Sorghum* spp. and *Galega orientalis* Lam, the sample size of *Sorghum* spp. and the size of the official label.
3. Presentation of a Portuguese report on the organization of a temporary experiment providing for certain derogations for the marketing of seed mixtures, intended for use as fodder plants.
4. Discussion on the implementation of Regulation (EC) N° 217/2006 as regards the authorisation of Member States to permit temporarily, the marketing of seed not satisfying the requirements in respect of the minimum germination.
5. Presentation of the results of an International Seed Testing Association (ISTA) experiment to extend the seed lot size for herbage seed.
6. Update on the S & PM review.
7. Update on the review of the Regulation 2004/882 on official controls.
8. Miscellaneous.

**SECTION B    Draft presented for an opinion**

9. **Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision on the organisation of a temporary experiment under Council Directives 66/401/EEC, 66/402/EEC, 2002/54/EC, 2002/55/EC and 2002/57/EC as regards field inspection under official supervision for basic seed and bred seed of generations prior to basic seed.** (Doc. SANCO/10554/2012) (Legal Bases: Council Directive 66/401/EEC, Article 13a, Council Directive 66/402/EEC, Article 13a, Council Directive 2002/54/EC, Article 19, Council Directive 2002/55/EC, Article 33 Council Directive 2002/57/EC, Article 16) (Opinion of the Committee view the examination procedure)