

Scientific Panel on Plant Health (PLH)

Draft Agenda of the 59th Plenary meeting

27-28 January 2016, Parma, (Italy)

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- 1. Welcome and apologies for absence**
- 2. Adoption of the agenda**
- 3. Declarations of Interest of Scientific Committee/Scientific Panel Members**
- 4. Agreement of the minutes of the 58th Plenary meeting held on 18-19 November 2015, Parma (Italy)**
- 5. Report on written procedures since 58th Plenary meeting**
- 6. Scientific outputs submitted for discussion and/or possible adoption/endorsement**
 - 6.1. Presentation and discussion for possible endorsement of the draft "Scientific opinion on the health status of a managed honey bee colony" ([EFSA-Q-2015-00047](#))
- 7. New Mandates**
- 8. Feedback from the Scientific Committee/Scientific Panels, EFSA, the European Commission**
 - 8.1. Scientific Committee and/or Scientific Panel(s) including their Working Groups
 - 8.1.1. Request from the European Commission to review recent scientific publications on Citrus black spot ([EFSA-Q-2015-00601](#)): update by PLH Panel Working Group on work progress.
 - 8.1.2. Request from the European Commission to complete the Pest Risk Assessment (step 2) of 7 regulated pests: update by PLH Panel Working Groups on work progress
 - PLH Panel Working Group "Directive 2000/29 Methods": development of fit for purpose risk assessment

methodologies and process to update EU listing of regulated plant pests ([EFSA-Q-2014-00351](#))

- Presentation and discussion on methodology and template for pest risk assessment
- Presentation and discussion on methodology and template for risk reduction options
- Update on WG progresses on risk assessment of *Ditylenchus destructor* Thome, ([EFSA-Q-2015-00268](#)) and work plan for *Radopholus similis* ([EFSA-Q-2015-00269](#))
- Update on WG progresses on risk assessment of *Ceratocystis platani* (Walter) Engelbrecht et Harrington, ([EFSA-Q-2015-00265](#)) and work plan for *Cryphonectria parasitica* (Murrill) Barr ([EFSA-Q-2015-00266](#))
- Update on WG progresses on risk assessment of Grapevine Flavescence dorée ([EFSA-Q-2015-00271](#))
- Update on WG progresses and work plan on risk assessment of *Diaporthe vaccinii* Shaer, ([EFSA-Q-2015-00267](#))
- Update on WG progresses and work plan on risk assessment of *Eotetranychus lewisi* (McGregor), ([EFSA-Q-2015-00270](#))

8.1.3. Update from Scientific Committee and its Working Groups

8.2. EFSA including its Working Groups /Task Forces

- 8.2.1. Update on EFSA activities on *Xylella fastidiosa* (including the update on host plants database and report publication; update on Workshop on “*Xylella fastidiosa*. Knowledge gaps and priorities for the EU research” (Bruxelles, 12-13 November 2015) and follow up activities)
- 8.2.2. Update on the draft scientific report on “Evaluation of data concerning the necessity of flumioxazin to control a serious danger to plant health which cannot be contained by other available means” ([EFSA-Q-2015-00570](#)) and discussion on future needs for methodological guidance

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- 8.2.3. EFSA WG Prometheus “PROmoting METHods for Evidence Use in Scientific assessments”: completion of the online survey to identify methodological needs
- 8.2.4. Update on EFSA outsourcing activities on plant health

8.2.5. Report from the Joint EPPO / COST-SMARTER Workshop on the Evaluation and Regulation of the use of Biological Control Agents in the EPPO Region

8.2.6. Report from the annual customer feedback from DG Sante on EFSA plant health activities

8.3. European Commission

9. Other scientific topics for information and/or discussion

9.1. Discussion on future PLH Panel self-tasks

10. Any other business