

## Scientific Panel on Plant Health (PLH) Draft Agenda of the 71<sup>st</sup> Plenary meeting

**31 January and 1 February; 2018, Parma, (Italy)**

**31 January 2018 from 09:00 to 18:00**

**1 February 2018 from 08:30 to 15:30**

**Meeting room: EFSA - Auditorium**

**Meeting open to Observers with all agenda items open to Observers**

### **Observer Q&A sessions:**

**Question sessions from web streaming remote observers are open throughout the plenary**

**Question sessions from observers in the room are going to be open by the Chair**

**31 January 2018 from 09:00 to 18:00**

- 1. Welcome and apologies for absence**
- 2. Brief introduction of Panel members and observers**
- 3. Adoption of the agenda**
- 4. Declarations of Interest Scientific Panel Members**
- 5. Presentation of the Guidelines for Observers**
- 6. Report on written procedure since the 70<sup>th</sup> Plenary meeting**
  - 6.1. 70<sup>th</sup> Plenary minutes**

## 7. New Mandates

- 7.1. EC DG SANTE Mandate requesting a Scientific Opinion on the risks to plant health posed by *Spodoptera frugiperda* in the EU territory<sup>1</sup>  
EC DG SANTE Mandate requesting to update the Scientific Opinion on the risks to plant health posed by *Xylella fastidiosa* in the EU territory<sup>1</sup>
- 7.2. EC DG SANTE Mandate requesting scientific opinions on the risk assessments for the EU territory of high-risk plants, plant products or other objects<sup>1</sup>

## 8. Scientific outputs submitted for discussion and/or possible adoption

- 8.1. Discussion and possible endorsement of the draft guidance on quantitative pest risk assessment methodologies for public consultation EFSA-Q-2014-00351

### **COFFEE BREAK (11.00– 11.30)**

- 8.2. Scientific Opinion on pest categorisation of *Fusarium oxysporum f. sp. albedinis* EFSA-Q-2017-00371
- 8.3. Scientific Opinion on pest categorisation of *Anisogramma anomala* EFSA-Q-2017-00375

### **Question session for Observers in the room (12.50– 13.00)**

### **LUNCH BREAK (13.00– 14.00)**

### **Reply session (14.00– 14.20)**

- 8.4. Scientific Opinion on pest categorisation of *Ceratocystis fagacearum* EFSA-Q-2017-00378
- 8.5. Scientific Opinion on pest categorisation of *Aschistonyx eppoi* EFSA-Q-2017-00318
- 8.6. Scientific Opinion on pest categorisation *Curtobacterium flaccumfaciens* EFSA-Q-2017-00625

### **COFFEE BREAK (15.30– 16.00)**

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<sup>1</sup> New agenda points added on January 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018

## **9. Feedback from the Scientific Committee/Scientific Panels, EFSA**

- 9.1. PLH Scientific Panel including its Working Groups
  - 9.1.1. Discussion on template and approach for pest categorisations of large taxonomic and crop pest groups<sup>2</sup>
  - 9.1.2. Update from EFSA on the Tasking Grants cooperation projects launched to support the PLH Panel pest categorisations of large taxonomic and crop pest groups<sup>2</sup>
- 9.2. Other scientific topics related to the PLH Panel work on pest categorisation:<sup>2</sup>
  - 9.2.1. Presentation by EPPO on "EPPO project on bark beetles and Ambrosia beetles of non-Coniferous trees"<sup>2</sup>

### **Question session for Observers in the room (17.50–18.00)**

**Question to be answered the following day**

**1 February 2018 from 08:30 to 15:30**

## **8. (cont.) Scientific outputs submitted for discussion and/or possible adoption**

- 8.7. Scientific Opinion on pest categorisation of *Unaspis citri* EFSA-Q-2017-00368
- 8.8. Scientific Opinion on pest categorisation of *Scirtothrips aurantii* EFSA-Q-2017-00367
- 8.9. Scientific Opinion on pest categorisation of *Scirtothrips citri* EFSA-Q-2017-00366

## **9 (cont.) Feedback from the Scientific Committee/Scientific Panels, EFSA**

- 9.3. PLH Scientific Panel including its Working Groups
  - 9.3.1. Update on work progress from the PLH Panel Working Groups on pest categorisations

### **Question session Observers in the room (10:25-10.30)**

**COFFEE BREAK (10.30– 11.00)**

**Reply session (11.00 – 11.20)**

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- 9.3.2. Update on the mandate for a scientific opinion on the request from Japan regarding export of black pine bonsai to the EU
- 9.4. Scientific Committee and its Working Groups
- 9.5. EFSA including its Working Groups/Task Forces
  - 9.5.1. Request to provide technical support to the JRC with regard to climate suitability and impact assessment for candidate Union priority pests<sup>3</sup>
  - 9.5.2. Update on Request to provide scientific and technical assistance on survey guidelines relevant for plant health for the EU territory<sup>3</sup>
  - 9.5.3. Update on the request from the European Commission to provide scientific and technical assistance on a horizon scanning exercise in view to crisis preparedness on plant health for the EU territory<sup>3</sup>

## **10. Feedback from the European Commission**

**Question session for Observers in the room (12.50–13.00)**

**LUNCH BREAK (13.00– 14.00)**

## **11. Other scientific topics for information and/or discussion**

- 11.1. International conference on “The impact of global change on the emergence of plant diseases and pests in Europe” organised by ANSES, EFSA and EPPO, Paris 23-24 April 2018<sup>3</sup>
- 11.2. Feedback from recent presentation of EFSA and PLH panel activities at PAFF Committee and COPHs meetings<sup>3</sup>

## **12. Questions and Answers to Observers (in application of the guidelines for Observers)**

## **13. Any other business**

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