



Managing the List of Competent Organisations

**Focal Point Task Force on Art.36 &
EFSA Engagement & Cooperation Unit**

**68th Advisory Forum meeting
Sofia, Bulgaria, 6-7 June 2018**

OUTLINE

- Project aim
- Overview of main changes
- Process
- Supporting the change
- FP networking & Training Workshops
- Next steps

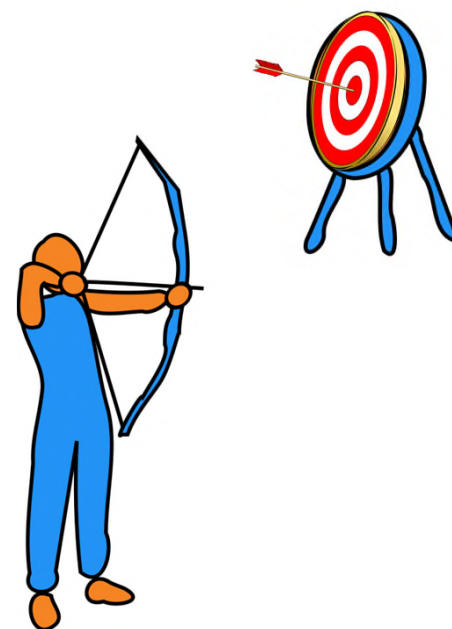
PROJECT AIM



Strengthen **European networking** amongst competent organisations and with EFSA

through:

- Establishing a more agile up-to-date **List**
- Enhancing **engagement** of MS & competent organisations in networking



OVERVIEW OF MAIN CHANGES

List



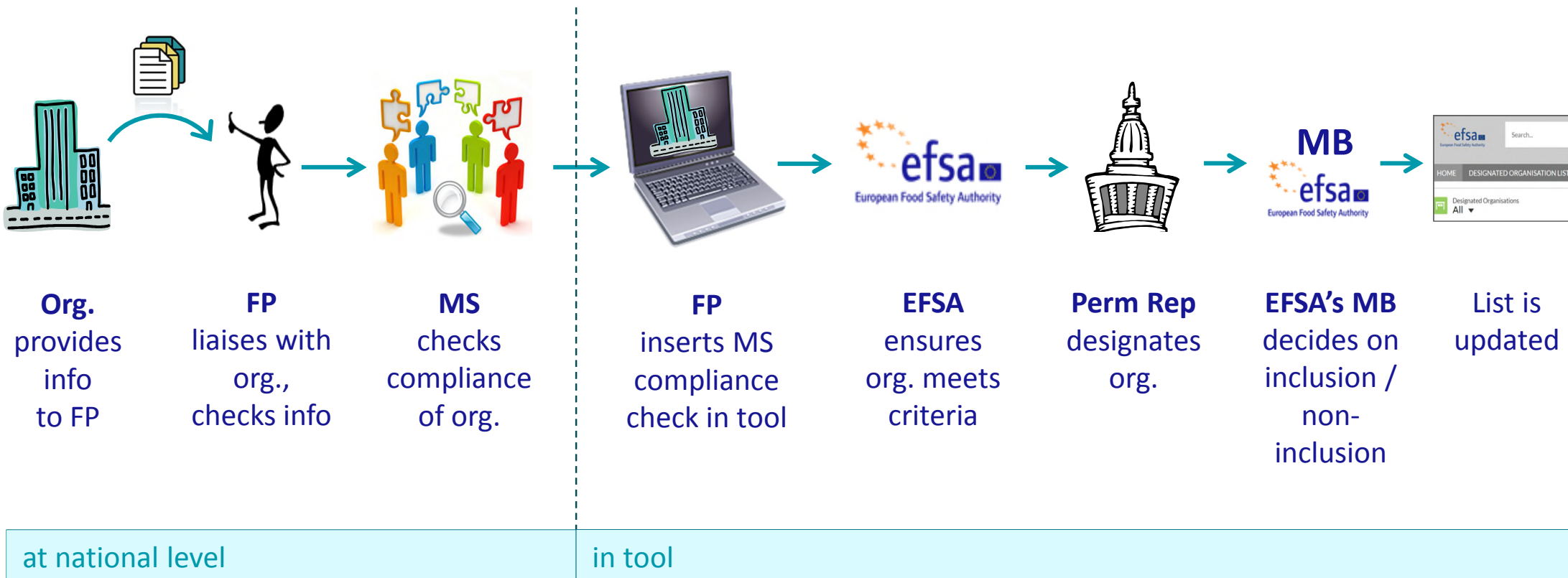
- All organisations: newly designated, reconfirmed or withdrawn
- Provide better training and guidance
- Structured summary of criteria compliance assessment & designation at MS level

Engagement









- Strengthen role and recognition of FPs
- Closer linkage of FPs and organisations
- Build a closer Art.36 Community in MS
- Build profiles with evaluated information, rather than just self-declared

PROCESS: HIGH-LEVEL



APPROVED LIST DISPLAY

COMPETENT ORGANISATIONS					
<div>  </div> <div>  All ▼ </div> <div> 9 items • Sorted by Food and feed chain competences • Filtered by all competent organisations • Updated a minute ago <div>     </div> </div>					
	ORGANISATION NAME ▼	INCLUDING PARTS ▼	COUNTRY ▼	ORGANISATION'S... ▼	FOOD AND FEED CHAIN COMPETENC... ↑
1	Ministry of Agriculture	- Laboratorio Arbitral Agroalimentario (LAA) - Laboratorio Central de Veterinaria (LCV)	Italy	- Risk Assessment	- Plant health - Food additives and/or nutrient sources added to - Biological hazards including BSE/TSE
2	Atlantic Technologies Spa	- CRM - HR	Italy	- Risk Assessment - Risk Management - Risk Benefit Assessment - Regulatory Science - Research	- Plant health - Food additives and/or nutrient sources added to - Products and/or substances used in animal feed - Animal health and/or welfare - Human nutrition, dietetic products, allergies and/ - Emerging risks
3	Università di Padova - Test2		Italy	- Risk Assessment - Risk Communication - Regulatory Science	- Plant health - Plant protection products and/or their residues - Enzymes, flavourings and/or processing aids - Nanotechnology
4	Minardi Test		Italy	- Risk Assessment - Risk Management - Risk Communication - Regulatory Science	- Plant health - Plant protection products and/or their residues - Genetically modified organisms - Enzymes, flavourings and/or processing aids

Providing Focal Points with

- Info Collection Form
- Detailed processes indicating who does what
- User Manual – tool
- Guidance document / best practices
- Dashboard
- Communication to all players
- Training workshops
- FP Facilitators

Organisation Information Collection Form

Details on the legal entity

Official name of the organisation in	
Arabic language	
Arabic acronym of the organisation's	
name	
English acronym of the organisation in English	
Arabic acronym of the organisation in Arabic	
Organisation type and number	
Postal address	
Geographic location	
Telephone number	
Website URL	
Organisation's main activity	
Research/IG or research IGs	Not mandatory
Research/IG or research IGs	
Research/IG or research IGs	

Details of the organisation's administrative contact person


First name	
Last name	
Job title	
Position / Role	
Phone	
Mobile	
Work email	
Personal email	
Home address	
Home phone	
Home fax	
Home email	

Information on data protection, rights and consent

Organisation's commitment:

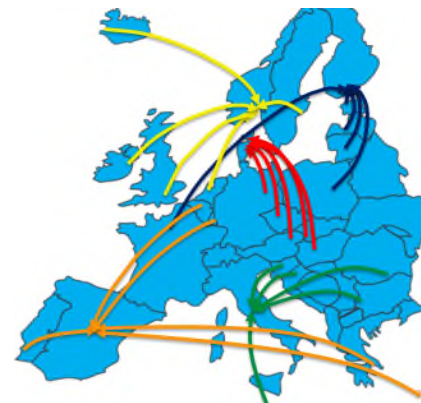
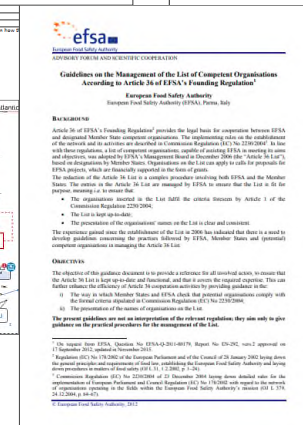
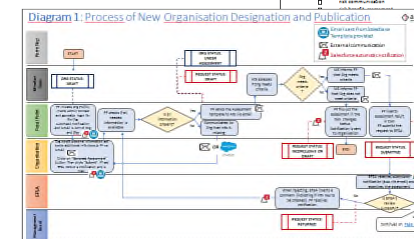
I am aware of:

- ☐ I will accept it
- ☐ I will manage it
- ☐ I will not accept it



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Guidelines on the Management of Information
 According to Article 23

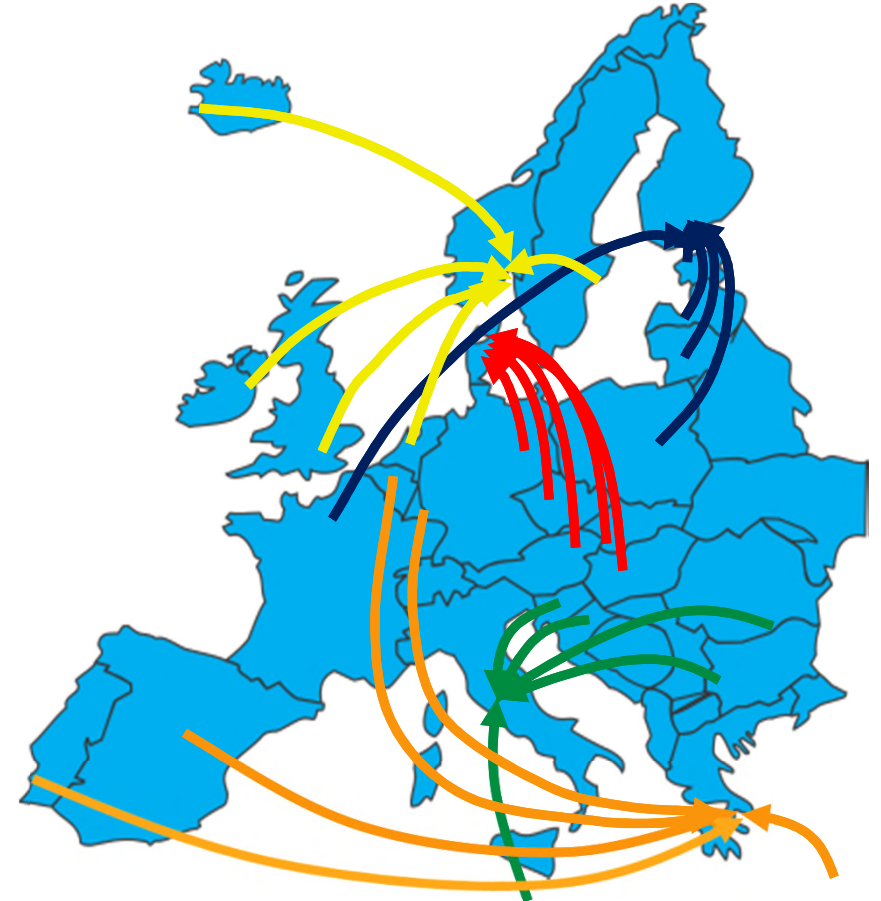


NETWORKING OF FOCAL POINTS

Groups

MS are clustered in 5 groups,
 linked to a facilitator
 → enhances networking & support

Facilitator	Partners
DK	DE, CZ, SK, AT, HU
FI	EE, LA, LT, FR, PL
GR	CY, ES, PT, BE, LU
IT	MT, SI, HR, RO, BG
NO	IR, IS, UK, SE, NL



TRAINING WORKSHOPS

- 5 one-day training workshops
- on new process & tool
- using interactive case-studies
- for 2 people / MS → ensures sustainability

Host	Partners	Date(s)	Location
DK	DE, CZ, SK, AT, HU	14-15 Nov ¹⁾	Copenhagen
FI	EE, LA, LT, FR, PL	20 Nov ²⁾	Helsinki
GR	CY, ES, PT, BE, LU	22 Nov ²⁾	Athens
IT	MT, SI, HR, RO, BG	29-30 Nov ¹⁾	Rome
NO	IR, IS, UK, SE, NL	5-6 Dec ¹⁾	Oslo

¹⁾ 2 half-days; ²⁾ 1 full day

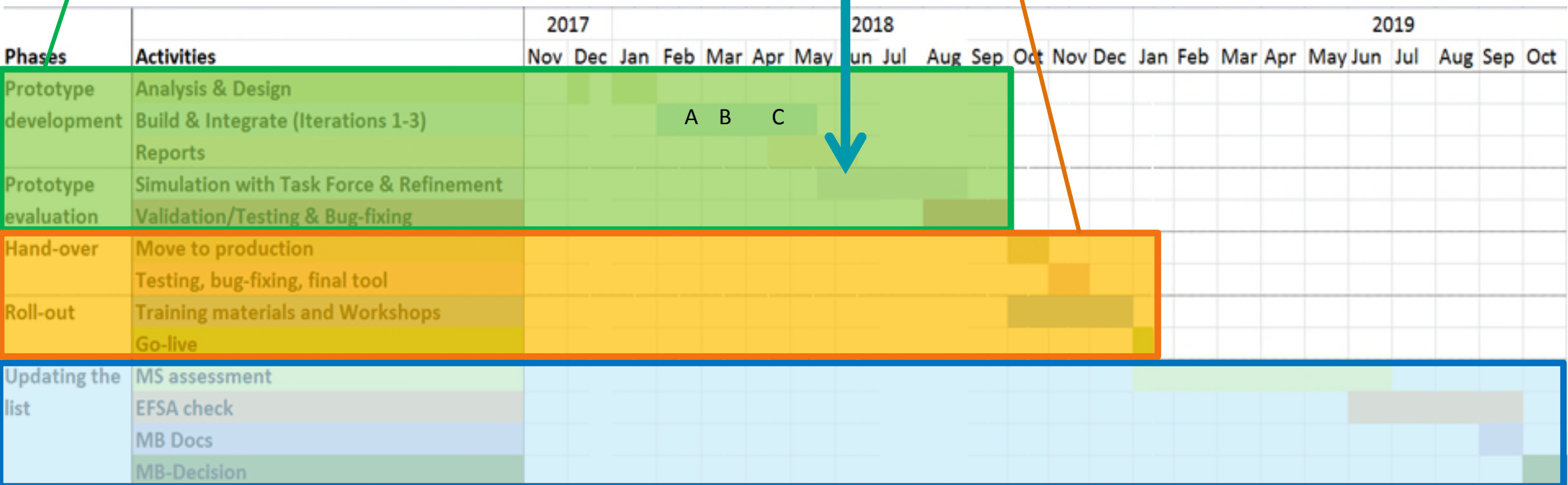


- Focal Points to indicate **2 people per country, block the date**
- **Participation** needs to be **ensured**

PROJECT STATUS AND TIMELINE

1. Building the Prototype

2. Move to production



3. Newly establishing the List



- Identify **2 training participants**
- **Ensure** their **participation** in relevant WS
- Indicate number of org. expected to be designated using the new process, from 2019 (=licences)

Project

- **5 Training Workshops** in Nov-Dec 2018
- New process: **launch** Jan 2019
- **New designations completed:** end June 2019
- **List re-established:** Oct 2019

	2019											
Activities	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Go-live												
MS assessment												
EFSA check												
MB Docs												
MB-Decision												

QUESTIONS



Please send us your **Q**uestions

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We will get back to you with an **A**nswer