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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	Working Party of Chief Veterinary Officers
Date:	12 October 2016
Time:	10.00
Venue:	COUNCIL LEX BUILDING Rue de la Loi 145, 1048 BRUSSELS

1. "EU Vet Futures Project: preparing the profession for 2025"
 - Presentation by the Federation of Veterinarians of Europe (FVE) of its project and exchange of views
2. World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE)
 - a) Outcome of the 27th conference of the regional Commission for Europe (Lisbon, 19-23 September 2016)
 - Presentation by the Commission and exchange of views
 - b) Exchange of views with representatives from Iceland, Norway and Switzerland

3. Expenditure relating to animal health

a) Priorities for the EU funding of veterinary programmes for 2018-2020

- Presentation by the Commission and exchange of views

b) Amendments to Regulation (EU) No 652/2014

- Presentation by the Commission and exchange of views (doc. 12187/16 + ADD1, ADD2)

4. Animal welfare

a) Report from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council on the implementation of Council Directive 98/58/EC concerning the protection of animals kept for farming purposes

- Presentation by the Commission and exchange of views (doc. 12100/16)

b) Welfare rules for rabbits kept as a farm animals

- Presentation by the Presidency and exchange of views

c) Outcome of the expert group on actions to prevent tail biting and reduce tail docking of pigs

- Presentation by the Commission and exchange of views

5. Strategic safety concept for insects as feed

- Presentation by the Commission and exchange of views (doc 12877/16)

6. AOB

a) Lumpy Skin Disease (LSD)

- Update by the Commission

b) Conference "Food chain in the digital single market" - Brussels, 9 November 2016

- Information by the Presidency

c) EU-Georgia Association Agreement

- Information by the Commission and the Presidency

d) Presentation on the Delegates Portal

- Information by the General Secretariat
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