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### **COMMUNICATION**

#### NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	Working Party of Chief Veterinary Officers
Date:	19, 20 and 21 March 2014
Time:	9.30, 9.00, 9.00
Venue:	Mediterranean Agronomic Center of Chania
	Chania - Crete - Greece

#### 1. OIE

- a) 6<sup>th</sup> Strategic Plan (2016-2020)
  - Outcomes of the OIE Council meeting and continuation of discussions on EU comments
- b) 26<sup>th</sup> Conference of the Regional Commission for Europe (22-26 September 2014, Bern, Switzerland)
  - Follow up of discussions in February and agreement on EU suggestion of a topic for Technical Item II
- c) Questionnaire for Technical Item II at the 82<sup>nd</sup> General Session (25-30 May 2014)
  - Draft letter to the OIE
- d) Election of a Secretary General of the OIE Regional Commission for Europe at the General Session in May 2014
  - Discussion on a common EU position
- e) Exchange of views with representatives of Norway, Iceland and Switzerland

## 2. Animal Health Law – progress report

- 3. African swine fever in Lithuania and Poland and the Russian ban
  - Update by Lithuania, Poland and the Commission
- 4. Reduced and prudent antimicrobial use in animal production in the fight against antimicrobial resistance (doc. 5967/14)
  - Follow up of the discussion in February
- 5. Better information of travellers on conditions for introduction into the EU of dogs and cats (rabies) and personal consignments of products of animal origin (doc. 6402/14)
- 6. Third countries
  - USA: progress on TTIP
- 7. AOB

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