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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	Working Party of Veterinary Experts (Potsdam Group)
Date:	3 November 2014
Time:	8.00
Venue:	Hotel Crowne Plaza Santiago
	Av. Libertador Bernardo O´Higgins 136
	SANTIAGO DE CHILE

- 1. Coordination and preparation of the EU position for the meeting of the SPS Joint Management Committee set up by the Agreement establishing an association between the EC and the Republic of Chile (3-4 November 2014)
- 2. Any other business

The presence of the members of the Potsdam Group configuration for Chile would be important.

N.B. Delegations are reminded that travel expenses incurred by the participants to this meeting will not be reimbursed by the Council.

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Twelfth Meeting of the EU-Chile Joint Management Committee on Sanitary and **Phytosanitary Measures** Santiago, November 3 - 4, 2014

- 1. Welcome and approval of the agenda
- 2. Approval of the minutes of the Eleventh JMC
- 3. Follow up of the Eleventh JMC: review of the implementation of the action plan by the parties
- 4. Recognition for trade of animal health and pest status and regional conditions, implementation by the Parties (Article 6)

EU interest

- 4.1. Export of fresh fruit from the EU to Chile:
 - 4.1.1. Update on the PRA for apples.
 - 4.1.2. Mitigation measures and import conditions for peach, nectarine, cherries and pears.
 - 4.1.3. Requests from the EU Member States.
- 5. Determination of equivalence (article 7)

Both Parties interest:

Recognition of germplasm centers in the EU.

6. Transparency and trade conditions (Article 8)

Chile interest

- 6.1. Export of sunflower seeds to the EU. Requirement of certification of *Plasmopara* halstedi.
- 6.2. Export of Tomato seeds to the EU
- Export of mechanically recovered poultry meat from Chile to EU 6.3.
- 6.4. Alternatives to the use of methyl bromide

EU interest

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- 6.5. Export of beef from the EU to Chile;
- Pending applications of EU Member States for accession to the Chilean Market for 6.6. sectors already open;
- Update on the state of play of the official controls on EU eligible bovine holdings 6.7. (PABCO A) and listing of EU approved export establishments;
- Microbiological carcass testing for meat exported from Chile to the EU: alignment of the 6.8. "National Pathogen Reduction Program" with Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005;
- Export of bovine embryos from the EU to Chile;
- 6.10. Export of fresh pig meat and pig meat products from the EU to Chile;
- 6.11. Export of porcine and bovine protein extracts (extracto proteico) from the EU to Chile;
- 6.12. Export of day-old chicks and hatched eggs from the EU to Chile;
- 6.13. Export of PAPs (processed animal protein) from the EU to Chile.

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7. Certification (Article 9)

EU interest

- 7.1. New proposal of harmonised certificate for the export from the EU to Chile of readymade meals;
- 7.2. New proposal of harmonised certificate for the Export of casings from the EU to Chile;
- 7.3. Proposal of harmonised certificate for the temporary admission into Chile of horses from the EU: draft certificate.
- 7.4. Proposal of harmonised certificate for the definitive admission into Chile of horses from the EU: draft certificate.
- 8. Verifications (Article 10)
- 9. Information exchange (Article 12)

Chile interest

9.1. Technical assistance and co-operation to Chile from the EU.

Both sides interest

- 9.2. Cooperation between EFSA and ACHIPIA
- 10. Joint Management Committee (Article 16)
- 11. Approval of the conclusions of the Eleventh Meeting of the Animal Welfare Working Group of XX November 2014
- 12. Approval of the proposed Action Plan on Animal Welfare for 2014-2015.
- 13. Action Plan
- 14. Next JMC
- 15. AOB

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