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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: Working Party on Animals and Veterinary Questions (Chief Veterinary Officers)

Date: 9 November 2022

Time: 10.00

Venue: COUNCIL

JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING

Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

Date: 10 November 2022

Time: 10.00

Venue: COUNCIL

EUROPA BUILDING

Rue de la Loi 167, 1048 BRUSSELS

1. Regulation (EC) No 853/2004 on the hygiene of food of animal origin – outcome of the questionnaire

- *Presentation by the Presidency and exchange of views*

2. Highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI)

a) Sharing Member States' experience with HPAI vaccination

- *Presentation by the Czech and French delegations and exchange of views*

b) Update on ongoing work on:

- **delegated act on rules for the use of certain veterinary medicinal products for the purpose of prevention and control of certain listed diseases**
- **mandate to the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)**
 - *Information by the Commission*

3. Co-financing of the animal disease programs under the Single Market Programme in Member States

- *Presentation by the Commission services and exchange of views*

4. Animal welfare

a) Recent scientific opinions of EFSA on welfare of pigs on farm and on welfare of animals during transport

- *Presentations by EFSA and exchange of views*

b) Commission Staff working document - Fitness check of the EU Animal Welfare legislation (doc. ST 13217/22 + ADD 1)

- *Presentation by the Commission and exchange of views*

c) Articulation between Regulations on official controls ((EU) 2017/625) and on protection of animals during transport (EC) 1/2005

- *Information by the Commission and exchange of views*

5. Outcome of the Seminar on the strategy in the control and eradication of African swine fever held in Prague on 28 September 2022

- *Information by the Presidency and exchange of views*

6. AOB

a) Control of Infectious Bovine Rhinotracheitis (IBR) in movements of animals within the European territory for the purposes of exhibitions and livestock fairs

- *Information by the Italian delegation*

b) World organization for Animal Health (WOAH) – Outcomes of the 30th Conference of the Regional Commission for Europe in Catania

- *Information by the Commission*

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