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Standing Committee on Plants, Animals, Food and Feed

Section *Biological Safety of the Food Chain*

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AGENDA

Section A Information and/or discussion

A.01 EFSA presentation of the European Union One Health 2024 Zoonoses report

Section B Draft(s) presented for an opinion

B.01 Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Regulation amending Commission Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005 on microbiological criteria for foodstuffs as regards the cereulide toxin in dried infant formulae, dried follow-on formulae and dried dietary foods for special medical purposes intended for infants (MP)

The purpose of this initiative is to address the recent cereulide contamination incident in infant formulae by introducing a new food safety criterion in Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005 to require food business operators producing certain infant products to regularly test them for the presence of cereulide toxin and ensure its absence.

(PLAN/2026/1373)

Legal Basis: Regulation (EC) No 852/2004 - Articles 4(4) and 12

Procedure: Regulatory procedure with scrutiny

B.02 Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Regulation amending Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2019/627 as regards the facilitation of practical arrangements for meat inspection in low-capacity slaughterhouses and game-handling establishments (PHS)

The purpose of the proposed amendment is to provide more flexibility on the timing of post-mortem inspection in low-capacity slaughterhouses and game-handling establishments. It also clarifies the possible use of relevant technologies supplementing meat inspection and increases the limit for establishments to be considered as low

capacity ones from 5% to 10% of the total amount of meat produced in that Member State. More slaughterhouses and game-handling establishments will be able to benefit from flexibility provisions on meat inspection.

(PLAN/2026/713)

Legal Basis: Regulation (EU) 2017/625 - Article 18(8)(d)

Procedure: Examination procedure

Section C Draft(s) presented for discussion

- C.01** Exchange of views of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Regulation amending Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/405 as regards the lists of third countries or regions thereof authorised for the entry into the Union of consignments of certain animals and goods intended for human consumption in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2017/625 (PHS)

The purpose is to amend Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/405 for listing third countries or regions to enter the Union of highly refined products derived from insects.

(PLAN/2026/1962)

Legal Basis: Regulation (EU) 2017/625 - Articles 127(2) and (4)

Procedure: Examination procedure