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Organización Norteamericana de Protección a las Plantas

NAPPO Conference Call Report

Expert Group:	Potato	
Location:	Conference Call	
Date:	Thursday, March 9, 2017 (11:00 – 13:00 EST)	
Co-Chairs	Gordon Henry, CFIA Richard Zink, APHIS	
Participants:		
Alonso Suazo, NAPPO	Richard Zink, APHIS	Jorge Gómez, SENASICA
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Summary		
General	<p>Reviewed the draft agenda for this conference call and the draft call report for the January 12, 2017 conference call.</p> <p>The NAPPO Office provided an update and confirmed the dates for the 41st NAPPO annual meeting in Mexico. The event details will be posted on the NAPPO website in the near future.</p>	
Consensus:	The agenda and the draft conference call report (January 12, 2017) were approved.	
Item 1:	Update on the status of country revisions to the pest list, Appendix 1.	
Consensus	Canada submitted an editorial comment to the NAPPO office to be circulated to the expert group for review.	
Item 2:	Update on status of Project 1 – alignment of ISPM 33 and RSPM 3.	
Consensus:	Canada has completed its review. The United States and Mexico are continuing their internal country reviews of the updated RSPM 3.	
Item 3:	Update on RSPM 3 and changes related to Annex 6	
Consensus:	NAPPO confirmed that the NAPPO Executive Committee has been informed of the changes to RSPM 3 and the removal of Annex 6 - Pre-shipment Testing for PVY ^N . NAPPO will plan to upload the	

	new draft version of RSPM 3 on its website.
Item 3:	Discussion on potential new project proposals for the 2017 NAPPO Work Program.
Consensus:	The NAPPO Office provided an update. NAPPO is planning to issue a call for new proposals in June 2017. The call period is expected to be open for 60 days.

Next Steps

Responsible Person	Action	Date
NAPPO Office	Schedule a one hour conference call for the potato expert group for September 14, 2017.	August 2017
NAPPO Office	Circulate Canadian editorial comments related to the pest list in Appendix 1 for review by expert group.	March 2017
NAPPO Office	Draft a notification for the website to provide information on the status of the RSPM 3 and the uploading of the current draft. The draft website notification will be circulated to the expert group for review.	January 31, 2017
NAPPO Office	Schedule a Co-chair call to review the status of NAPPO's call for project proposals as related to received proposals for potatoes. The need for an additional Expert Group meeting will be determined.	Summer 2017
All	Internal country review of updated draft RSPM 3.	ongoing

Next Meeting

Tentative meeting

Location:	Conference call
Date:	Thursday September 14, 2017, 11:00 – 12:00 EST (1 hour)

Proposed Agenda Items

1. Opening remarks, attendance and introductions
2. Approval of September 14, 2017 agenda and March 9, 2017 conference call report
3. Review of editorial changes to Appendix 1 provided by Canada
4. Update on status of project 1 – alignment of ISPM 33 and RSPM 3
5. Update on call for new project assignments
6. Discussion on an in-person meeting during the NAPPO Annual meeting in Mexico – All
7. Other items and next steps

8. Next conference call/ meeting