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North American Plant Protection Organization
Organización Norteamericana de Protección a las Plantas

NAPPO Conference Call/Meeting Report

Expert Group:	Potato	
Location:	Conference call	
Date:	Friday, January 17, 2014	
Chairperson	Alain Boucher, (CFIA)	
Vice Chair	Hector Lozoya, (SAGARPA, Mx.)	
Participants:		
Ana Lilia Montealegre, SAGARPA, Mx.	Trevor Yu, CFIA	Richard Zink, APHIS
Christina Devorshak, APHIS	Rebecca Lee, NAPPO	Ian McDonell, NAPPO
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Summary		
Project 1:	Revise Annex 6 of RSPM 3 (2011), <i>Guidelines for movement of potatoes into NAPPO member country</i> based on PVY TAG Science and Technology document finalized in 2013.	
Consensus:	A Webinar (webex) will be scheduled for February 19, 2014 at 11:00 EST to initiate the discussion.	
Project 2:	Conduct an annual review of the pest list in RSPM 3, <i>Movement of Potatoes into a NAPPO Member Country</i> .	
Consensus:	No amendments required at this time. Each country will notify the expert group members as soon as some amendments are made to their respective pest list.	
Project/ 3:	Review the existing RSPM 3 (2011), <i>Guidelines for movement of potatoes into a NAPPO member country</i> to align it with ISPM 33 (2010), <i>Pest free potato (Solanum sp.) micropropagative material and minitubers for international trade</i> and discuss any adjustments required by NAPPO member countries.	
Consensus:	A Webinar (webex) will be scheduled for February 27, 2014 at 11:00 EST to initiate the discussion.	
Next Steps		
Responsible Person	Action	Date
Mexico	To provide an update on the status of their revision to the proposed regulations and associated pest list.	February 19, 2014
Secretariat	Schedule a webex for February 19, 2014 at 11:00 EST and provide the link to the report from the PVY TAG.	ASAP
Secretariat	Schedule a webex for February 27, 2014 at 11:00 EST and provide the link with the appointment to the ISPM 33.	ASAP

Next Meeting	
Location:	None planned
Date:	
Proposed Agenda Items	
1. Discussion and completion of above-noted projects	