

NAPPO Conference Call Report

Expert Group:		Revision of RSPM 38 Importation of certain wooden and bamboo commodities into a NAPPO member country		
Location:		Zoom meeting – Videoconference		
Date:		December 3, 2020		
Presidente		John Tyrone Jones II (APHIS – PPQ)		
Participants:				
Arvind Vasudevan (vice-chair - CFIA)		Shamina Maccum (CFIA)	Scott Myers (APF	IIS-PPQ)
Jason Allen (APHIS-PPQ)		María Eugenia Guerrero Alarcón (SEMARNAT)	Gustavo Hernánd (SEMARNAT)	lez
Brad Gething (US Industry)		Faith Campbell (US industry)	Patricia Abad (AF	PHIS-PPQ)
Stephanie Bloem (NAPPO)		Alonso Suazo (NAPPO)		
Summary				
Project:		Revision of RSPM 38 Importation of certain wooden and bamboo commodities into a NAPPO member country		
General comments:		The TD thanked EG members for joining the call, Stephanie Bloem for the interpretation and Scott Myers for taking notes in track change mode in the document. NAPPO TD will write the report.		
Item 1:		Document revision		
Consensus:		EG members worked on the document revision from section 2.2 (<i>Certification</i>) until the end of the document. Comments provided by EG members were addressed. Additionally, comments from previous sections that were not resolved in previous discussions were also addressed. Comments that were added and unresolved issues (Section 2.1) will be discussed in the next videoconference with the expert group. The chairperson will send an email to the Secretariat summarizing the points that will need further discussion during the next conference call. The Secretariat will share that information with the EG.		
Item 2:		Interception data		
Consensus:		The TD indicated that the interception data will be summarized and shared with the EG for discussions in the next call.		
		Next Steps		
Responsible Person	Action		Date	
John Tyrone Jones II	Email points that need further discussion during the next call including those in section 2.1			
NAPPO TD	Share summarized interception data of all three NAPPO countries.			

Next Meeting			
Location:	Zoom meeting – Videoconference		
Date:	January 14, 2021 from 1:00-2:30 pm EST.		
Proposed Agenda Items			
1. Review any topics of concern that the group still has concerning the document.			
2. Evaluate the inspection data to determine if expansion of the scope is necessary.			