



Better Training for Safer Food *Initiative*

International Standard-Setting Bodies - IPPC

**History of an ISPM
“International movement of
wood”**

Piotr Włodarczyk

BTSF

This presentation is delivered under contract with the Consumers, Health, Agriculture and Food Executive Agency CHAFEA (<http://ec.europa.eu/chafea>). The content of this page is the sole responsibility of Opera Srl and can in no way be taken to reflect the views of CHAFEA or any other body of the European Union. CHAFEA or any other body of the European Union will not be responsible under any circumstances for the contents of communication items prepared by the contractor.

Consumers, Health,
Agriculture and Food
Executive Agency

May 2015

Introduction

This presentation provides a real-life example of the development of an International Standard on Phytosanitary Measures (ISPM) through all major stages of the Standard Setting Process

The example used is the draft ISPM
“International movement of wood”

CPM-2 (2007) - Adding the topic to the work program

The topic was submitted during a call for topics in 2006

The SC in 2006 discussed the submissions and agreed that the topic should be added to the standard setting work program (List of Topics)

The proposed List of Topics was submitted to CPM-2 (2007) for endorsement

CPM-2 (2007) endorsed the addition of the topic to the List of Topics

TPFQ, SC (2007) - Development of the specification for the ISPM

The specification was developed by the Technical Panel on Forestry Quarantine (TPFQ) and presented to the Standards Committee (SC) in November 2007

The SC discussed the specification and adopted it for the IPPC member consultations in 2008

The SC assigned the steward for the ISPM

Draft specification in country consultation (2008)

The draft specification went for a 60 days IPPC member consultation period

Countries submitted comments

Comments were analysed by the steward and sent to the SC

In November 2008 the steward for the ISPM was changed



SC-7 (May 2008)

Approval of the specification

In May 2008 the SC-7 finalised and approved the specification for the ISPM (Specification No. 46)

The TPFQ was requested to develop the draft ISPM

TPFQ (2008)

Development of the draft ISPM

In 2008 the TPFQ developed the draft ISPM

The TPFQ did not consider the draft ready for submission to the SC

TPFQ (2009) Development of the draft ISPM

TPFQ revised and further developed the draft

The draft was not finalised and was not sent to the SC

In 2009 the SC changed the steward for the draft

TPFQ (April 2010) Development of the draft ISPM

TPFQ made many changes in the draft ISPM

The draft was not finalised

TPFQ decided to continue the work on the draft electronically

TPFQ (September 2010) Development of the draft ISPM

In September, 2010 TPFQ finalised the draft ISPM
and decided to hand it over to the SC



SC (November 2012) Disapproval of the draft

SC reviewed the draft and submitted comments

SC decided that the draft is not ready for the IPPC member
consultations
and sent it back to the steward

The steward was asked to revise the draft and present it again to
the SC in May 2013

SC (May 2013)

Approval of the draft ISPM for consultations

In May 2013 the SC reviewed the draft
and approved it for IPPC member consultation in June-November
2013

Revision by steward (2014)

In early 2014 the steward:

- reviewed comments submitted during the member consultation
 - revised the draft
- presented the draft to the SC for their consideration in May 2014

SC-7 (May 2014)

In May 2014 the SC-7:

- reviewed the steward's proposals
- revised the draft ISPM
- decided to send the draft for the Substantial Concerns Commenting Period (SCCP) (July-September)

Substantial Concerns Commenting Period (SCCP) 2014

In July-September the draft was under the SCCP

Comments submitted by countries were compiled and sent to the steward for consideration

The steward analysed the comments, revised the draft and sent it to the SC

SC (November 2014)

In November 2014 the SC:

- reviewed the steward's proposals
- revised the draft
- decided to send the draft ISPM to CPM-10 (March 2015) for adoption

CPM-10 (2015)

The draft was formally objected

As a result of the formal objection the draft was sent back to the
SC

The future of the draft?

The SC will discuss the draft in May 2015.

The SC may:

- put the draft on hold or
- send the draft back to the TPFQ (with appropriate guidance) for revision

The future of the draft?

In the SC (May 2015) decides to send the draft to the TPFQ, it may take a couple of TPFQ meetings to finalise the review of the draft

The draft may return from TPFQ to the SC e.g. in November 2016

The draft will probably have to undergo another consultation (2017)

The future of the draft?

After the consultation, the comments will be analysed by the steward, who will revise the draft and present it to the SC (November 2017)

The future of the draft?

If in November 2017 SC decides to submit the draft to CPM for adoption, it may be adopted by CPM-13 in 2018

or things may take longer...



This presentation is delivered under contract with the Consumers, Health, Agriculture and Food Executive Agency CHAFEA (<http://ec.europa.eu/chafea>). The content of this page is the sole responsibility of Opera Srl and can in no way be taken to reflect the views of CHAFEA or any other body of the European Union. CHAFEA or any other body of the European Union will not be responsible under any circumstances for the contents of communication items prepared by the contractor.

Thank you for your attention



Opera S.r.l.

Viale dei Parioli 96 - 00197 Rome - Italy

Tel +39 06 96042652/ +39 06 8080111

Tel/Fax +39 06 89280678

www.btsftraining.com; www.opera-italy.it;

btsftraining@btsftraining.com

**Better Training for Safer Food
BTSF**

• *European Commission
Consumers, Health, Agriculture and Food Executive Agency
DRB A3/042
L-2920 Luxembourg*

Consumers, Health,
Agriculture and Food
Executive Agency