

Regional Workshop on Draft ISPMs

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Objective:

- ❑ The workshop is serving as a regional forum:
 - ✓ to provide participants opportunity to discuss the ISPMs and assist countries in the Near East Region in preparation of comments on draft ISPMs.
 - ✓ to discuss the plant protection issues,
 - ✓ information sharing about the transboundary pests in the region,
 - ✓ to identify the priorities of work and assistance needed at the national and regional level.

□ This year workshop is featured by the introduction of the new online comment system.

The standards approved for Member Consultation 2011 are:

- Draft amendments to ISPM 5. *Glossary of phytosanitary terms* (1994-001)
- Draft revision to Supplement no. 1. *Guidelines on the interpretation and application of the concept of official control for regulated pests* (Not widely distributed) of ISPM 5. *Glossary of phytosanitary terms* (2005-008)
- Draft annex 4 to ISPM 11:2004. *Pest risk analysis for plants as quarantine pest* and consequential changes in core text of ISPM 11:2004 (2005-001)
- Draft revision to Annex 1 of ISPM 15:2009. *Approved treatments associated with wood packaging material* (2006-011)

- Draft Annex to ISPM 27:2006: *Trogoderma granarium* (2004-006)
- Draft Annex to ISPM 28:2007. *Vapour heat treatment of Cucumis melo var. reticulatus for Bactrocera cucurbitae* (2006-110)
- Draft Annex to ISPM 28:2007. Heat treatment of wood packaging material using dielectric heat (2007-114)