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**Commission on Phytosanitary Measures
Meeting of the CPM Strategic Planning Group (SPG)
28-30 October 2024**

Lebanon room (D277), FAO Headquarters, Rome, Italy

Dear Sir/Madam,

The International Plant Protection Convention Secretariat is pleased to confirm arrangements for the in-person meeting of the Commission on Phytosanitary Measures (CPM) Strategic Planning Group (SPG) and to formally invite you to attend this meeting.

Meeting dates and venue: The meeting will be convened from 09:00 to 17:00 (Rome time) on **Monday 28 October to Wednesday, 30 October 2024** in **Lebanon room (D277)** in the **FAO HQ**. The SPG is held in **English only**.

Registration for the meeting: You are requested to confirm your participation to Tanja.Lahti@fao.org; **by 13 September 2024, after this date is not possible to register.**

Kindly note that there are no funds available to assist participants to attend this meeting.

Meeting documents and preparation: The provisional agenda, the invitation letter and working papers will be available at the following link: [2024 SPG - International Plant Protection Convention \(ippc.int\)](https://www.ippc.int/2024-SPG-International-Plant-Protection-Convention). You are kindly requested to read the documents prior to the meeting. Please check the relevant page frequently for updates. Should you have questions in this regard you may contact Ms Paola Sentinelli (Paola.Sentinelli@fao.org).

Participants are encouraged to develop discussion papers on specific topics on the agenda they would like to be addressed. Please forward such discussion papers to Mr Arop Deng (Arop.Deng@fao.org) **no later than 16 August** so they may be properly circulated.

I look forward to your participation and trust we will have productive and enjoyable discussions.

Yours sincerely,

Dr. Osama El-Lissy
Secretary

International Plant Protection Convention (IPPC) Secretariat

Summary of contacts and deadlines

Contacts/deadlines:

- Questions on registration, website and papers Paola.Sentinelli@fao.org
- Submission of discussion papers by **16 August** Arop.Deng@fao.org
- Meeting registration by **13 September** Tanja.Lahti@fao.org;