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FAST-TRACK INTERSERVICE CONSULTATION

Subject: Review of the decision-making process on genetically modified organisms (GMOs)
Responsible DG: SANTE

The European Commission was elected on the basis of a set of Political Guidelines presented to the European Parliament. In these Guidelines, a commitment was taken to review the legislation applicable to the authorisation of Genetically Modified Organisms (GMOs) by April 2015. To comply with this commitment, it is proposed that the College adopts the following documents:

- A Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of Regions reviewing the decision-making process on genetically modified organisms (GMOs)
- A proposal under the ordinary legislative procedure

These documents will be sent separately via SECEM.

In line with Article 23 of the Commission's rules of procedure, the Secretariat-General authorised DG SANTE to use the fast-track procedure for the interservice consultation on the dossier mentioned above. The fast track procedure is needed to keep the deadline announced by the Commission in its Political Guidelines.

Your services are invited to participate in the fast-track meeting on **Wednesday 1 April 2015, at 10:00 in the meeting room BERL 7/62**. The meeting will be chaired by the Secretariat-General. The consultation documents will be sent by SECER.

Please confirm your DG's attendance to the meeting in CIS-Net. Drafting and other preliminary comments can equally be transmitted via CIS-Net prior to the meeting.

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Enclosures: Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of Regions reviewing the decision-making process on genetically modified organisms (GMOs);

Proposal under the ordinary legislative procedure.

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