The Report of the IPPC Secretariat

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New attempt in reporting from Secretariat

- **Overall appearance**
- **Messages, activity records in each specific areas:**

  Standards setting, Capacity Development, Dispute settlement, National reporting obligations, Liaison, etc.

To tell/sell our achievements,

TOP 5 in 2013 are...

1. New rules, process and arrangement functioning

- Standards adoption
- ISPM15 mark registration
- Rules of Procedure for + Guidelines for election of Chair, Vice-chair, Bureau, ...
- CPM week scheduling

2. Harmonization with and contribution to new FAO Strategic Objectives

- Planned contributions to SO2 & SO4
- Implementation started for the current biennium (2014-2015)
- Restructuring in the FAO with better visibility

3. Various projects and activities in developing national capacity

- Increased CD activities prior to and within the CPM week
- Projects under STDF
- New phase of IRSS
- Phytosanitary page

4. Awareness and fund raising efforts

- Initial contacts with new donors
- Development/use of advocacy materials
- Presence in other international fora

5. Strengthened relations with other stakeholders

- Meeting with CBD Secretariat
- Meeting with WCO Secretariat
- Active collaboration with others: WTO (SPS & STDF), OIE, CODEX, ...

Challenges - 1

Implementation of ISPMs and IPPC

- Review overall implementation
- Help countries to fulfill the reporting obligations
- Help to settle the dispute cases

Challenges - 2

Implementation of ISPMs and IPPC

- Keep raising awareness
- Seek sustainable resources
- Possible issues under new WTO Agreement on Trade Facilitation

To have more impact on global issues!

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