



BACKGROUND FOR MEMBER CONSULTATION

Draft amendments to ISPM 5. *Glossary of phytosanitary terms*

At its meeting in October 2010, the Technical panel for the glossary (TPG) made proposals in relation to additions, revisions and deletions of terms and definitions in ISPM 5. Most proposals arose from terms on the TPG work programme. A few arose from the review of ISPM 5 for consistency because some deletions, identified as necessary during the review, were not considered consistency changes as described in the report of CPM-4 (2009) and were proposed as amendments to the Glossary of phytosanitary terms.

At its May 2011 meeting, the Standards Committee approved the draft amendments to ISPM to go for member consultation and recommended it as a priority for member consultation in 2011.

Relevant documents:

- Report of the TPG, October 2010 (<https://www.ippc.int/index.php?id=1110712>)
- Report of the SC, May 2011 (<https://www.ippc.int/index.php?id=13355>)