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## COMMISSION ON PHYTOSANITARY MEASURES

### First Session

Rome, 3 – 7 April 2006

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9. Report of the Technical Consultation among Regional Plant Protection Organizations
10. Report of Observer Organizations
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