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## INTERIM COMMISSION ON PHYTOSANITARY MEASURES

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### Provisional Calendar 2003

### Agenda Item 8.10 of the Provisional Agenda

1. The ICPM Informal Working Group on Strategic Planning and Technical Assistance (SPTA), at its meeting in October 2002, developed a draft work programme for 2003 to propose to the ICPM (see ICPM 03/23). The work programme includes meetings, activities and initiatives corresponding to the strategic directions, goals and priorities of the ICPM. It includes ongoing activities such as meetings of the Standards Committee as well as items identified by the Secretariat for the work programme. The following table is to propose a provisional calendar for 2003 work programme activities based on the recommendations of the SPTA.

#### Provisional Calendar for ICPM Work Programme 2003\*

2003	Standard setting	Other
Feb	<b>Glossary and review of ISPMs</b> <b>PRA for regulated non-quarantine pests</b>	
Mar		
Apr		<b>ICPM-5</b> <b>Dispute Settlement Subsidiary Body</b>
May	<b>Standards Committee Working Group</b>	
June	<b>Review of ISPM No. 1</b> <i>Government consultation on draft ISPMs;</i> <i>June to October</i>	Information Exchange Support Group

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<b>2003</b>		
	<b>Standard setting</b>	<b>Other</b>
July	Low pest prevalence	PCE Facilitators Group
Aug	Regional Technical Consultation(s) on draft ISPMs	PCE workshop(s)
Sep	<b>Surveillance for Citrus Canker</b> or <b>Inspection Methodology</b>	<b>Technical Consultation among RPPOs</b>
Oct	Revision of ISPM No. 2	<b>Strategic Planning and Technical Assistance</b>
Nov	<b>Standards Committee</b>	
Dec		Preparation of documents for ICPM-6
<b>2004</b>		
Jan	Equivalence	
Feb	<b>Glossary Working Group</b>	
Mar		
Apr		<b>ICPM-6</b> <b>Dispute Settlement Subsidiary Body</b>

\*Bold indicates priority activities that the Secretariat expects to support with Regular Programme resources. Italics indicate important background activities.

2. The ICPM is invited to:

1. *Note* the activities proposed for the 2003 work programme.
2. *Consider* the provisional calendar in light of the priorities decided for the work programme and available resources.
3. *Recommend* modifications as appropriate to reflect desired changes in the activities and priorities for the work programme.
4. *Adopt* the provisional calendar as modified.
5. *Recommend* the Secretariat implement the work programme based to the extent possible on the provisional calendar.
6. *Urge* Members to express their interest in participating or assisting in work programme activities.