



## NEWSFLASH AIPROM November 2015

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*Dear Members,*

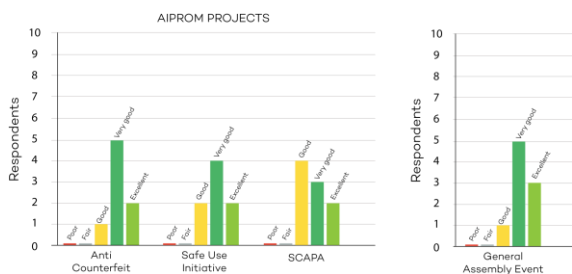
*Here you may find a brief summary of AIPROM activities in November. For more details, please write to us. Thank you!*

### MEETINGS & TRAINING EVENTS

**WORKING GROUP LEADERS & CO-LEADERS MEETINGS WITH AIPROM President** – Leaders and co-leaders (WG4) of AIPROM Working Groups met with AIPROM President in order to discuss activity plans for 2016. The overall themes that have emerged from discussions are:

1. Need for WGs to take a synergic approach to project activities for a more efficient use of resources
  2. Projects shall focus on those smart solutions that would endure after the project financing ends.
  3. ECPA's H4C concept shall serve as an umbrella for all AIPROM projects
  4. An e-learning platform will be developed and it shall incorporate all materials developed under WGs activities empowering users to access learning tools easier; face-to-face seminars will continue when it is the case but more up-to-date will
  5. AIPROM will prepare for the GA and AE 2016 a motivational video that would encompass all the WGs under one big umbrella of H4C
- For individual group activities please contact us or the group leaders.

### FOLLOW-UP GA – Results of Member Survey



10 members filled in the satisfactory survey at the end of the GA on October 15. Good results, but much to be done in the area of communication with stakeholders and pro-active approach to upcoming issues.

- Relation with authorities is assessed by the majority (6) as GOOD.
- 50% of the respondents find the newsflash as VERY GOOD and up (8)
- Response to members was also assessed as VERY GOOD by 5 out of 8
- Project SCUT is evaluated as VERY GOOD by 5/8 respondents. SUI has a VERY GOOD rate of 50% while SCAPA has a scattered evaluation with 4 responses for GOOD, 3 for VERY GOOD and 2 for EXCELLENT.
- The percentage of VERY GOOD overall satisfaction with the information provided by AIPROM is 60%, while 40% is EXCELLENT.

### PROJECT STATUS

#### REGISTRATION & LEGAL

AIPROM contacted the interim phytosanitary authorities in order to continue the collaboration for the revision of PPP commercial legislation and urge the signing of the registration certificates and the delayed dossiers. Other types of action might be also taken soon.

#### ANTICOUNTERFEIT

November was rich in AC activities!

**November 3** – AIPROM organized a training session with Port & customs authorities in Constanta. Over 20 authorities participated. ECPA Gerwin Bouillon was key note speaker. Customs people appreciated the quality of the information AIPROM provided for the risk analysis database.

#### Collaboration with a private investigation company

As you may remember from the GA, in 2016 AIPROM will run a project in collaboration with a private investigation company. The company will generate monthly reports with incidents and suspicious PPPs and AIPROM will then share the info with the targeted members, leaving them the option to further investigate or stop the action.

**Dear Member, starting January 2016, the investigator will also contact each one of you (responsive person in your company) in order to collect specific information for the risk analysis database, based on the attached model. Please ensure collaboration!**

