



## Outline programme stakeholder meeting on EU Fertilisers Regulation and STRUBIAS

**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2018 – 9h00 – 17h15 – central Brussels**

**Registration:** <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/eu-fertilisers-regulation-and-strubias-tickets-47156434164>

Participation = 96,84 € (inc. VAT) to cover meeting room and catering costs. Free for ESPP members, governments, policy makers – request free access code from [info@phosphorusplatform.eu](mailto:info@phosphorusplatform.eu)

Venue information will be sent to you on registration

Both the all-day Brussels event and the afternoon webinar are open to STRUBIAS group members and to other interested stakeholders by online registration

9h15 – 11h00 – Plenary – status of EU Fertilisers Regulation:

- Austria (current Council presidency) (TBC) – current status of text and trilogue
- ESPP – Joint Industry Statement of November 2017 – status of the 19 points identified
- Fertilizers Europe – by-products<sup>i</sup> and “Mineral”/“Low-Carbon”<sup>ii</sup> Fertilisers – are these resolved?
- DG GROW (TBC)– where next? implementation period (3 years?), standards development, guidance documents<sup>iii</sup>
- DG SANTE – development of criteria for Animal By Product derived fertilising products (CMC11<sup>iv</sup>)
- Questions and discussion

11h00 – 11h30 break

11h30 – 13h00 - three workshops on the three STRUBIAS materials

- struvite and recovered phosphate salts
- biochars and pyrolysis materials
- ashes (used as fertilising materials) and ashes (used as input materials to fertilising products production processes)

13h00 – 14h00 – lunch

**14h00 – 15h30 – public webinar with connection to JRC Seville (TBC)**

- JRC – presentation of status of STRUBIAS process, key points of final draft reports to be presented to STRUBIAS working group (25-27 September Seville) and questions still pending discussion (20”)
- Questions/discussion on overall process and next steps (NOT on the three ‘materials’) (15”)
- Reports from morning’s workshops (3x5”)
- Questions (in room and webinar) / discussion on each of the three materials (3x20”)

15h30 – 16h10 – break

16h10 – 17h15

- Outstanding questions / panel discussion. Panel: JRC (webinar connection), DG GROW, EFRA (animal by-products), VCM Flanders (manure processing), Netherlands Government, Austria, Fertilisers Europe, EUREAU, Farmers federation or IFOAM, Christian Kabbe - Isle Utilities
- Conclusions and closure: Ludwig Hermann, ESPP Président

<sup>i</sup> Joint Industry Statement of 20/11/2017, see [www.phosphorusplatform.eu/regulatory](http://www.phosphorusplatform.eu/regulatory) – point A

<sup>ii</sup> Joint Industry Statement – point B

<sup>iii</sup> Joint Industry Statement – point C

<sup>iv</sup> Joint Industry Statement – point G

