



Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/520 on traceability of certain terrestrial animals

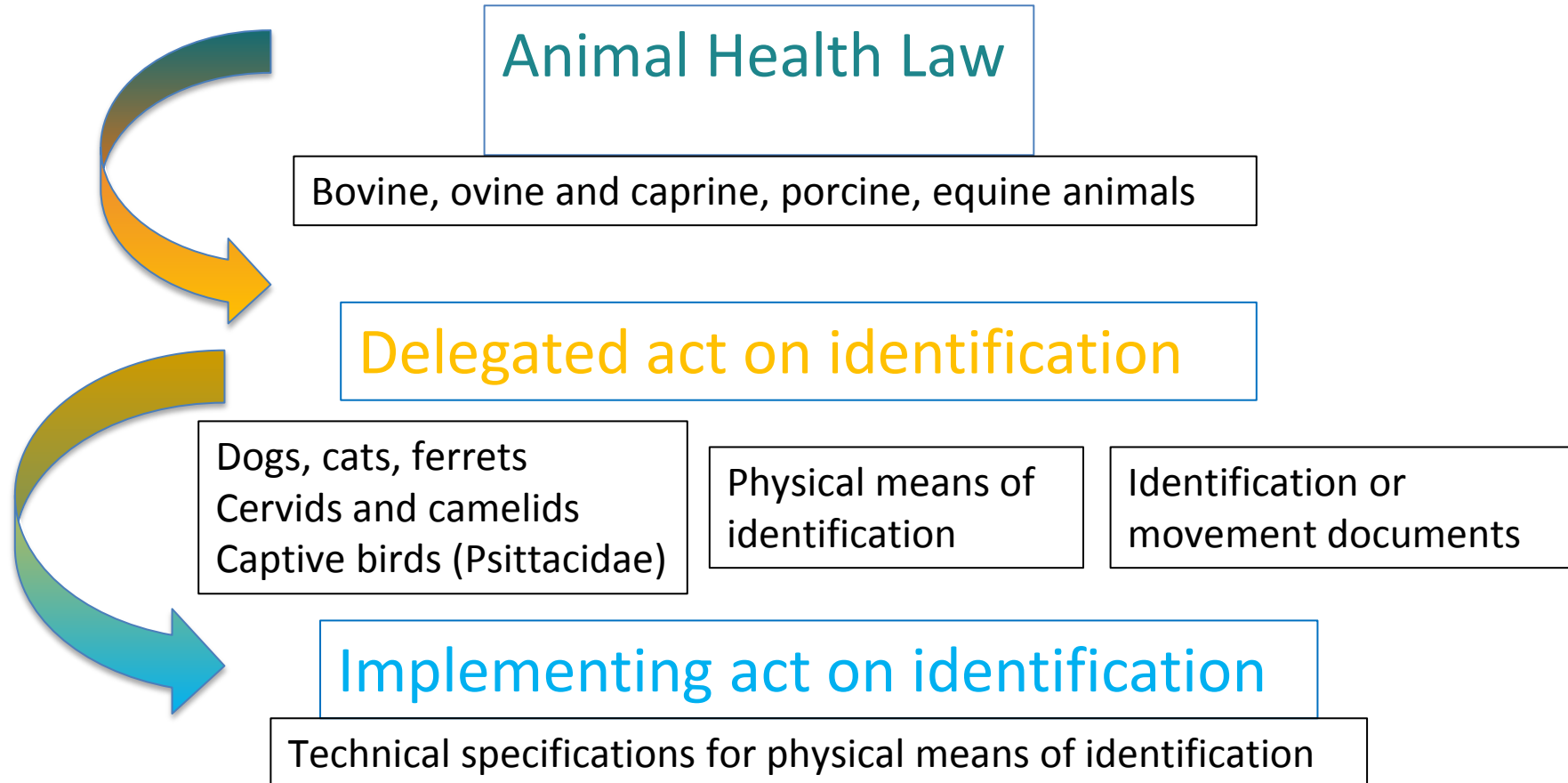
Animal Health Advisory Committee meeting

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Introduction

- COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU) 2021/520 of 24 March 2021 laying down rules for the application of Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council with regard to the traceability of certain kept terrestrial animals
- Applies from 21 April 2021
- Ensuring uniform application of Regulation (EU) 2016/429 and Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2035
- Rules for kept bovine, ovine, caprine, porcine, camelid and cervid animals and psittacidae (rules for equine animals are laid down in a specific Implementing Regulation not yet adopted)

Interaction of different acts



Main points (I)

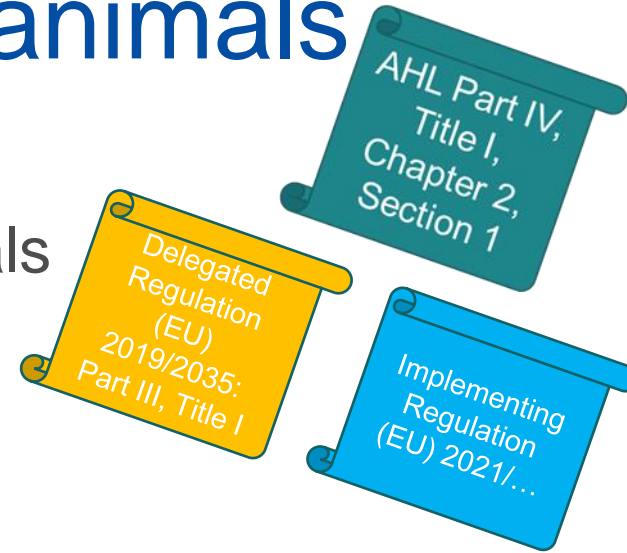
- Deadlines for the transmission of information by operators to the computer databases
- Rules for the uniform access to data contained in computer databases and the technical specifications and operational rules of such databases
- Technical conditions and modalities for the exchange of electronic data in respect of kept bovine animals between Member States' computer databases and the recognition of full operability of a data exchange system
- Technical specifications, formats and design for means of identification of kept bovine, ovine, caprine, porcine, camelid and cervid animals

Main points (II)

- Technical requirements for means of identification of kept psittacidae
- The time periods for the application of means of identification
- The configuration of the identification code of kept bovine, ovine, caprine, camelid and cervid animals
- Rules for removal, modification and replacement of means of identification
- Transitional measures regarding approval of means of identification.

Traceability of kept bovine animals

- Means of identification for kept bovine animals
 - Each animal individually identified with
 - two eartags or
 - one eartag and an EID
 - Time period for application of means of identification: up to 20 days (MS)
 - MS may derogate for extensively kept animals
- Computer database
 - Movements to and from the establishment, births and deaths (within 7 days)
- Identification document (or electronically exchange of information) when moved to another MS



Thank you



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