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## **AGENDA**

## MEETING OF THE «CDG ARABLE CROPS – SUGAR SECTOR»

in Brussels, Rue de la Loi 130 Meeting Room: 11.A

## on Tuesday 19 November from <u>09:30 to 13:00</u>

- 1. Elections of Chair and Vice-Chairs
- 2. Agenda
  - a. Approval of the minutes of the last meeting on 12 April 2019
  - b. Approval of the draft agenda
  - c. Meeting dates for 2020
- 3. Opinion of the Group on the situation and prospects for the world market for EU sugar exports (ASSUC)
- 4. Trade related issues:
  - a. Mercosur FTA negotiations (DG AGRI)
  - b. Australia FTA negotiations (DG AGRI))
  - c. WTO activities on India's sugar export subsidies (DG AGRI)
  - d. Brexit (DG AGRI)
- 5. Presentation by the Commission on the updated sugar and isoglucose 2018/19 balance sheet and 2019/20 forecast balance (DG AGRI)
- 6. Commission's report on High Level Group on sugar on 12 June 2019 (DG AGRI)
- 7. Presentation of organic sugar production (BIO AUSTRIA)
- 8. State of play of the emergency authorisation for neonicotinoids issued by Member States for sugar beet (DG SANTE)
- 9. Agriculture and Progress (CIBE)
- 10. A.O.B.

Please send us your AOB questions in due time before the meeting (e-mail: <u>AGRI-MARKET-CDG@ec.europa.eu</u>)

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