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AGENDA

«CDG DIRECT PAYMENTS AND GREENING »

**Brussels, rue Froissart 36
Building CCAB – Albert Borschette
Meeting room 1.A.**

on 11 October 2019 from 09:30 to 17:30

1. Approval of the agenda
2. Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting
3. Greening obligations and exceptional circumstances in spring and summer 2019
 - a. *Presentation of the derogatory decisions by the Commission*
 - b. *Exchange of views with members*
4. State of play of MFF discussions and of the CAP reform co-decision process
 - a. *Presentation by the Commission services : updated timeline, CAP features to be agreed with the MFF, state of play of key budgetary elements, implications for CAP co-decision*
 - b. *Exchange of views with members*

Coffee break

5. Using Coupled payments to meet CAP objectives
 - a. *Presentation by the Commission services*
 - b. *Exchange of views with members*
6. CAP Strategic Plans – preparing guidelines
 - a. *Presentation by a Member State of the state of play of the preparation of the CAP Strategic Plan*
 - b. *Presentation by stakeholders of their views and concept for CAP Strategic Plans (3 presentations)*
 - c. *Exchange of views with members*

Lunch break (13.00 to 14.30)

6. CAP Strategic Plans – preparing guidelines (continued)
 - c. *(continued) Presentation by stakeholders of their views and concept for CAP Strategic Plans*
 - d. *Exchange of views with members*
7. Use of technology to replace OTSC by the Commission and a paying agency
 - a. *Introduction on Checks by Monitoring by the Commission*
 - b. *Presentation by a paying agency representative*
 - c. *Exchange of views with members*
8. Eligibility criteria for income support (active farmer definition and eligible hectares)
 - a. Overview of the current implementation and possibilities for the future by the Commission services
 - b. Exchange of views with members steered by the following **questions**:
 1. *In your point of view, how should a genuine farmer be defined at EU level in order to guarantee the targeting of support? What specific criteria must be respected in this context?*
 2. *In your point of view, how should an eligible hectare be defined at EU level? What are the challenges in the current rules? How could this be improved in the future?*
 3. *Are there any other challenges in establishing the eligibility criteria at EU level for income support?*
9. A.O.B. and suggestions for the next meeting

Please send us your AOB questions in due time before the meeting (e-mail: AGRI-CDG-DP-GREENING@ec.europa.eu)

