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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 Monday, 16 March 2020 from <u>14:30 to 18:30</u>

- 1. Agenda:
 - a. Approval of the minutes of the last meeting on 19 November 2019
 - b. Approval of the draft agenda
 - c. Meeting dates for 2020
- 2. Follow-up and implementation on the findings of the High Level Group on sugar (AGRI)
- 3. Opinion of the Group on the situation and prospects for the world market for EU sugar exports (ASSUC)
- 4. Presentation by the Commission on the updated sugar and isoglucose 2018/19 and 2019/20 balance-sheets and 2020/21 forecast (AGRI)
- 5. Trade related issues (AGRI):
 - a. WTO activities on India's sugar export subsidies
 - b. Vietnam FTA details of the concessions on sugar, sugar containing products including molasses
 - c. Brexit, including implications on the notifications
- 6. The Green Deal, the just transition fund and the Farm to fork strategy in relation to the CAP and the MFF (AGRI)
- 7. Agriculture and Progress (CIBE)
- 8. 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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