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AGENDA

«CDG ARABLE CROPS – SUGAR SECTOR»

Meeting organised by videoconference

on Wednesday 18 November from 14:30 to 16.30 and from 17.00 to 18.00

1. Opening of the CDG meeting:
 - a. Approval of the minutes of the last meeting on 19 November 2019
 - b. Approval of the draft agenda
 - c. Information by the Chair on the elections of Chair and Vice-Chairs of the CDG Arable Crops
 - d. Meeting dates for 2021
2. Opinion of the Group on the situation and prospects for the world market for EU sugar exports (ASSUC)
3. EUBSSP report on “plant protection” and of the plant protection challenges related to recent beet crops and in particular the 2019/20 and 2020/21 ones (CIBE)
4. Farm-to-Fork implications on trade of agri-food products including legislation on Plant Protection Products (DG AGRI)
5. Presentation of the updated sugar and isoglucose 2019/20 balance-sheet and 2020/21 forecast (DG AGRI)
6. Trade-related issues (AGRI):
 - a. Egypt ban on imports of EU sugar
 - b. Canada investigation on countervailing measures and anti-dumping duties
 - c. WTO activities on India’s sugar export subsidies
 - d. Vietnam
 - e. Brexit developments and implications, impact on the establishment of monthly representative price of molasses
7. Any other business
Please send us your AOB questions in due time before the meeting (e-mail to AGRI-MARKET-CDG@ec.europa.eu)

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