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<b>DATE:</b>	28/11/2011

**“Re: Invitation to the meetings of the COPA-COGECA Working Party on Quality Assurance in Agriculture (15 December 2011) and the Advisory Group on “Quality of production in Agriculture” (16 December 2011)**

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Commission has confirmed that the **Advisory Group on “Quality of Production in Agriculture”** will be held on **16 December 2011 (9h30 – 18.00 hours)** at 1049 Bruxelles, Rue de la Loi 130, 11<sup>th</sup> floor, room B.

On behalf of the Chairman Mr. DE CARNE, we have the pleasure of inviting you to attend the **preparatory meeting of the Working Party** which will be held on:

**15 December 2011, from 14.30 to 18.00 hours**  
**at the COPA-COGECA Secretariat**  
61 rue de Trèves, 1040 Brussels

Please **fill in the enclosed participation form and send it back** to the Secretariat **before 6 December 2011** so that we can inform the Commission’s services in time.  
Please note that **those members of the Working Party who do not return their form in time cannot be taken into account when forming the COPA-COGECA delegation** that will attend the Advisory Group meeting.  
You will be informed of who has been included in the **COPA-COGECA delegation**.

Kind regards,

Christophe DERRIEN

## **Working party on “assurance quality in Agriculture”(15 December 2011)**

### **Draft agenda**

**1.** Adoption of the agenda and approval of the minutes of the last Working Party meeting (09-06-2011)

**2. « EU Quality Package »:**

- Information on the main conclusions of the Working Group “product from my farm” (10 November 2011) and next steps.

- Update on latest “trialogue” discussions on the “proposal for a Regulation agricultural products quality schemes” and on the “proposal for a Regulation modifying Reg 1234/2007 as regards marketing standards”.

- Latest activities of the Secretariat and possible next steps.

**3. Future of the CAP post 2013:**

- Short presentation of the EC legislative proposals on the future of the CAP post-2013: focus on provisions related to EU Quality Policy

- Discussion on the draft contribution of the “AQA Working Party contribution in reaction to Commission’s legislative proposals on the future of the CAP post 2013”.

**4. "sustainability of the food chain"**

- Follow up of the study exploring the feasibility of an EU Ecolabel for food and feed, Communication “*Roadmap to a Ressource Efficient Europe*”, and recent COMAGRI report (23 November 2011) on food wastage.

- Latest news with regard national and private certification schemes: focus on sustainability standards driven by retailers.

**5. Information:**

Follow up of the “EU proposal for a Regulation on food information to consumers”: information on implementing rules for provisions regarding the compulsory indication of origin.

PARTICIPATION FORM

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Advisory Group on “Assurance in Agriculture”  
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would like to attend as a refunded expert (12 seats refunded)

would like to attend as a non-refunded expert (2 seats non-refunded)