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<b>TO:</b>	<b>Members of the Copa-Cogeca Working Party on Poultry and Eggs</b>
<b>COPY:</b>	<b>National offices Coordinators of the new Copa-Cogeca member organisations</b>
<b>FROM:</b>	<i>Daniel Azevedo</i>
<b>DATE:</b>	<b>11.02.2015</b>

**Re: Invitation to the meetings of the Working Party and the Civil Dialogue Group on Animal Products – “Sector Poultry and Eggs” on 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> March 2015**

Dear Sir or Madam,

The Commission’s services have confirmed that the **Civil Dialogue Group on Animal Products – Sector Poultry and Eggs** will be held on **Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> March 2015 from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m** [[OV\(15\)451 \(rev.1\)](#)].

On behalf of the Chairman, Mr Schaeffer, we have the pleasure of inviting you to the preparatory meeting of the Working Party on Poultry and Eggs which will be held on:

**9<sup>th</sup> March 2015 from 2:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.**  
**at the Copa-Cogeca Secretariat**  
 61 rue de Trèves, 1040 Brussels

Please **complete the enclosed attendance form and return it** to the Secretariat **by 20<sup>th</sup> February 2015 (noon) at the latest** so 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 **Civil Dialogue Group** meeting.

You will be informed of who has been included in the **Copa-Cogeca delegation by Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2014.**

Please regularly check the “Poultry and Eggs” section on Agri-Info for the latest available documents and to view the papers you will need for the meeting. Please pass this message on to any colleagues who may be interested.

Best regards,  
*Daniel Azevedo*

<sup>1</sup> COPA-COGECA has **16 seats in the Civil Dialogue Group**, which will be divided between Copa and Cogeca. In the new Civil Dialogue Groups system the Commission will not provide observer seats.

## Draft Agenda

1. Approval of the agenda and the minutes of the previous meeting
2. Elections of the Working Party's Chairmanship
3. Discussion of the functioning of the CDG on animal products (strategic agenda, working methods, forecast group)
4. Market Prospects – latest information on the market situation for the poultrymeat, eggs and feed markets
5. Alternative markets and trade updates
  - a) Exchange of views on the main SPS priorities following the Russian ban and the export restrictions following the recent outbreaks of avian influenza
  - b) State of play on antidumping measures taken by South Africa
  - c) State of play on ongoing trade negotiations (e.g. TTIP, Ukraine, Japan)
6. Discussion of the review of the marketing standards for poultrymeat - 543/2008 - and eggs (in particular eggs for export/import) - Regulation 1308/2013
7. Exchange of views on labelling of methods of production of poultrymeat and promotion measures concerning the mandatory labelling rules for fresh poultrymeat
8. Exchange of views on the implementation at Member State level (in particular “stocking density”) of Council Directive 2007/43/EC of 28<sup>th</sup> June 2007, laying down minimum rules for the protection of chickens kept for meat production
9. Exchange of views on the “Note on the Scientific Opinion on the evaluation of the safety and efficacy of peroxyacetic acid solutions for reduction of pathogens on poultry carcasses and meat”
10. State of play on the Commission's proposal on Veterinary Medicinal Products and Medicated Feed
11. AOB
  - a) State of play on the reintroduction of PAPs for monogastrics
  - b) Divergent speeds in the process of phasing out certain procedures among poultry e.g. beak trimming etc. in different Member States (e.g. Dutch notification): <http://ec.europa.eu/enterprise/tris/en/search/?trisaction=search.detail&year=2014&num=512->
  - c) Information on the main conclusions of the BREF IRPP

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**ATTENDANCE FORM**  
**PLEASE RETURN TO MARIE VAN STEEN BY 20<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2015**  
**(NOON AT THE LATEST)**

**BY E-MAIL: [marie.vansteen@copa-cogeca.eu](mailto:marie.vansteen@copa-cogeca.eu)**

**AND/OR BY FAX: 00.32.22.87.27.00**

**WORKING PARTY ON POULTRY AND EGGS**  
**09/03/2015 \* 2:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**

**NAME:**

**ORGANISATION/COUNTRY:**

**E-MAIL:**

am able to attend       am unable to attend

**WORKING LANGUAGE:**

French       English       German       Italian       Spanish       Polish

**CIVIL DIALOGUE GROUP ON ANIMAL PRODUCTS**  
**“SECTOR POULTRY AND EGGS”**  
**10/03/2015 \* 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.**

**NAME:**

**ORGANISATION:**

would like to participate as a reimbursed expert<sup>2</sup>

***NB:*** The Copa-Cogeca Secretariat will inform you of the composition of the Copa-Cogeca delegation that will participate in the Civil Dialogue Group **8 working days before the meeting is held**. Those members of the Working Party who do not complete and return their forms before the deadline will not be taken into account when the Copa-Cogeca delegation is composed.

<sup>2</sup> In accordance with the rules and criteria laid down by Copa/Cogeca in document [PR(04)72F1]/P(04)166F1]