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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>21.09.2016</b>

**Re: Invitation to the meetings of the Working Party and the Civil Dialogue Group on Animal Products – “Sector Poultry and Eggs” on 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> October 2016**

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, 25<sup>th</sup> October 2016 from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m** [OV\(16\)7516 \(rev.1\)](#)

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

**24<sup>th</sup> October 2016 from 11:00 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 Monday 10<sup>th</sup> October (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<sup>1</sup>** that will attend the **Civil Dialogue Group** meeting.

You will be informed of who has been included in the **Copa-Cogeca delegation by Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> October 2016.**

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. NFU comment on the decision of UK to leave the European Union
3. Information concerning the election of Chairmanship of the CDG
4. Market prospects – latest information on the market situation for poultry meat and eggs and feed market
5. Marketing standards – reflections on the next steps
6. Trade
  - State of play on different trade negotiations (e.g. TTIP, Japan, Mercosur, etc)
  - Follow up on the development of the trade poultry and egg trade with Ukraine
7. State-of-play of discussions on the Campylobacter strategy
8. Exchange of views on Foie Gras Production
9. Overview on outbreaks on avian Influenza
10. State of play of the European Action plan against rising threats from Antimicrobial Resistance
11. EU rabbit production – Exchange of views on challenges and opportunities
12. State of play on the reintroduction of PAPs to poultry
13. Information concerning the Recent developments on IED's (Industrial Emissions Directive) Best Available Techniques (BAT) Reference Document (BREF) for the Intensive Rearing of Poultry and Pigs and the national emission ceiling.
14. AOB
  - a) Information on “Task force on the status of the animal”