

VP(17)6142:1 – DA/mvs

TO:	Members of the Copa-Cogeca Working Party on Pigmeat
COPY:	National offices
FROM:	<i>Daniel Azevedo</i>
DATE:	17.08.2017

Re: Invitation and draft agenda for the extraordinary meeting of the Copa-Cogeca Working Party on Pigmeat on 11th September 2017

Dear Sir/Madam,

On behalf of the Chairman, Mr Antonio Tavares, we have the pleasure of inviting you to the extraordinary meeting of the Working Party on Pigmeat, which will be held on:

11th September from 14:30 to 18:00
at the Copa-Cogeca Secretariat,
61 rue de Trèves, 1040 Brussels.

Please be informed that this meeting is **not linked** to any meeting of the CDG on pigmeat.

Please regularly check the Pigmeat 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 wishes,

Daniel Azevedo

Agenda

1. Approval of the agenda and the minutes of the previous meeting
2. Animal Health ([CC\(17\)5853 \(rev.2\)](#))
 - State of play by the delegations affected on the animal health situation in the Baltic States, Poland, Czech Republic and Romania and EU measures regarding the pig herd protection and eradication
 - Exchange of views with EUCBV and CLITRAVI
3. Follow up on Market Development
4. Market Access. Information and exchange of views on:
 - SPS barriers (e.g. Mexico, Colombia, Russia, etc.);
 - State of play on trade negotiations (TTIP, Mercosur, Japan) and FTA adoption procedure (CETA, Vietnam);
5. Approval of the contribution of the Working Party on pigmeat to the discussions on the future of the CAP
6. Follow up on discussions on Animal welfare
 - Actions to prevent tail biting and reduce tail docking of pigs
 - Castration
7. AOB

.....