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Directorate H. Sustainability and Quality of agriculture and rural development  
The Director

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## **Invitation to the meeting of the STANDING COMMITTEE ON ORGANIC FARMING**

**The 114<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Standing Committee on Organic Farming  
will take place on 26 September 2013 and will start at 9:30 a.m. until 18:30 at  
rue de la Loi 130 – 11<sup>th</sup> floor - room B**

**Simultaneous interpretation:  
FR-DE-EN-IT-ES to FR-DE-EN-IT-ES**

I have the honour to invite the experts from the appropriate departments of the Governments of the Member States to attend a meeting of the Standing Committee on Organic Farming which will take place on 26 September 2013 in Brussels at the following address:

**European Commission - DG AGRI building  
rue de la Loi 130 – B 1049 BRUSSELS  
11<sup>th</sup> floor - room B**

### **AGENDA**

#### **Section A – Opinion of the Committee**

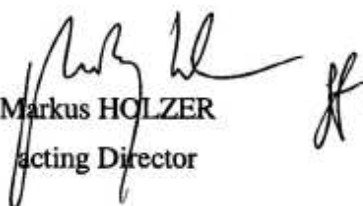
- 1. Draft Commission Implementing Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 889/2008 laying down detailed rules for the implementation of Council Regulation (EC) No 834/2007 on organic production and labelling of organic products with regard to organic production, labelling and control (organic aquaculture)**

#### **Section B – Points for information and/or discussion**

- 2. Document discussion on working document on amendments to Reg. (EC) N° 889/2008**
- 3. Main findings of and experiences gained from the audits on organic production and labelling of organic products carried out by the FVO in Member States**
- 4. Reporting and notifications under organic farming legislation**  
Overview of notifications and reporting

5. **Review of EU organic framework – state of play and feedback on administrative costs analysis**
6. **Irregularities and controls**
  - a) Update on notification of EU irregularities
  - b) Update on notification of irregularities concerning imported products
7. **EGTOP – Greenhouse report**
8. **Import regime (Regulation (EC) No 1235/2008)**
  - a) Latest developments concerning OFIS (CB application)
  - b) Proposition of technical adaptations to the incorporation of organic legislation into the EEA Agreement
  - c) Overview on third countries and CBs
9. **Miscellaneous<sup>1</sup>**
  - (possibly) DG AGRI Anti-Fraud strategy
  - (possibly) BTSF – Organic Farming

Yours sincerely,

  
Markus HOLZER  
acting Director

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<sup>1</sup> Any subjects that the Member States wish to discuss under Point 'Miscellaneous' need to be submitted to the Commission and the other Member States at the latest one week before the meeting of the Standing Committee on Organic Farming.