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Invitation to the meeting of the STANDING COMMITTEE ON ORGANIC FARMING

**The 119th meeting of the Standing Committee on Organic Farming
will take place on 19 June 2014 from 09:30 until 18:30 at
rue de la Loi 130 – 11th 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 19 June 2014 in Brussels at the following address:

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

AGENDA

Section A – Opinion of the Committee

- 1. Draft Commission implementing Regulation (EU) No .../... of XXX amending and correcting Regulation (EC) No 1235/2008 laying down detailed rules for implementation of Council Regulation (EC) No 834/2007 as regards the arrangements for imports of organic products from third countries**

Section B – Points for information and/or discussion

- 1. Draft Commission Implementing Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 1235/2008 as regards the recognition of control authorities and control bodies**

for the purpose of compliance and equivalence in relation to the import of organic products

- 2. Action Plan for the future of Organic production in the European Union COM(2014)179final – presentation by the Commission.**
- 3. Presentation of ongoing work on the electronic certification of imported organic products – Action Plan for the future of Organic Production in the European Union, Action No 12.**
- 4. Imports of Organic Products (Article 33(2) & (3) of Regulation (EC) No 834/2007): Supervision by the Commission**
- 5. Reporting and notifications under organic production legislation**
- 6. Irregularities**
 - a) Update on notification of irregularities concerning EU products
 - b) Update on notification of irregularities concerning imported products
- 7. Examination, according to Article 19 of Regulation (EC) No 1235/2008, of the import authorisations granted to operators concerned by the Vertical Bio operation**
- 8. EGTOP – update information about the different subgroups, Feed II, Food III and Aquaculture**
- 9. Import regime (Regulation (EC) No 1235/2008)**
 - a) Overview on third countries and CBs.
 - b) Korea, state of play.
 - c) Recent on-the spot missions.
- 10. Miscellaneous¹**



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¹ 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.