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Directorate B – Sustainability
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AGENDA
JOINT MEETING OF
THE EXPERT GROUP & THE CIVIL DIALOGUE GROUP ON ORGANIC
PRODUCTION AND THE “ORGANIC AMBASSADORS”

Hybrid Meeting

in Brussels, at the
Centre de Conférences Albert Borschette CCAB
Rue Froissart 36
1040 – Etterbeek
Room 4D

and online, via the Interactio platform

on Thursday 24 September 2026 from 09:30 to 13:00

INDICATIVE TIMING OF SESSIONS BELOW

REGISTRATION AND COFFEE

CONNECTION ONLINE PARTICIPANTS & INSTRUCTIONS ON INTERACTIO

09H30-09H40: **OPENING REMARKS**

MR GIJS SCHILTHUIS, DIRECTOR, DG AGRI

09H40-10H35: **ORGANIC FOOD AND PRODUCTS FOR ALL: STIMULATE DEMAND
AND ENSURE CONSUMER TRUST**

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STATEMENT OF NETHERLANDS REPRESENTATIVE

STATEMENT OF POLAND REPRESENTATIVE

STATEMENT OF COPA-COGECA REPRESENTATIVE

DISCUSSION

10H35-10H50: **COFFEE BREAK**

10H50-11H45: **ON THE WAY TO 2030: STIMULATING CONVERSION AND
REINFORCING THE ENTIRE VALUE CHAIN**

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STATEMENT OF PORTUGAL REPRESENTATIVE

STATEMENT OF IFOAM ORGANICS EUROPE REPRESENTATIVE

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11H45-12H20: **ORGANICS LEADING BY EXAMPLE: IMPROVING THE
CONTRIBUTION OF ORGANIC FARMING TO SUSTAINABILITY**

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12H20-12H30: **CLOSURE**

HEAD OF UNIT, ORGANICS, DG AGRI

END OF MEETING