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To:	Members of the Copa-Cogeca Working Party on Fruit and Vegetables
COPY:	National offices
From:	<i>Dominique Dejonckheere</i>
Date:	9th September 2013

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Re: Invitation and agenda of the Copa-Cogeca Working Party on Fruit and Vegetables and the Advisory Group on Fruit and Vegetables on 30th September and 1st October 2013

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Advisory Group on Fruit and Vegetables will meet on Wednesday 1st October from 9:30 a.m. to **6:00 p.m.** (see [FL\(13\)6076 \(rev.1\)](#)). On behalf of the Chairman, Mr Van Es, we are pleased to invite you to the meeting of the Working Party which will be held on:

Tuesday 30th September 2013 from 2:30 p.m. until 6:00 p.m.
at the Copa-Cogeca Secretariat
61 rue de Trèves, 1040 Brussels.

Please **complete** the **enclosed participation form and return it** to the Secretariat by **13th September** 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** that will attend the advisory group meeting

You will be informed of who has been included in the **Copa-Cogeca delegation** by **18th September at the latest**

Please consult the fruit and vegetable section on Agri Info regularly for the latest available documents in order to view the documents you will need for the meeting.

Please pass on this message to any colleagues concerned.

Kind regards,

Dominique Dejonckheere

Draft agenda

¹ Copa-Cogeca has 25 seats in the Advisory Group, which will be allocated in accordance with document [PR(04)72F1]/[P(04)166F1], which was approved by the Copa and Cogeca Præsidia on 6th and 14th May 2004.

- 1) Approval of the agenda and adoption of the minutes of the last meeting on 4th June [FL\(4\)6336 \(rev.1\)](#)
- 2) Market situation; results from Prognosfruit 2013 [[FL\(13\)6125 \(rev.1\)](#)] [[FL\(13\)6123 \(rev.1\)](#)]
- 3) Support scheme for fruit and vegetables
 - a) Difficulties linked to the implementation of the fruit and vegetables support scheme in Member States: information provided by members
 - b) State of play concerning the reform of Regulation No 543/2011/EC
 - c) Own-initiative report by Ms Anthea McIntyre [[NPN\(13\)6353 \(rev.1\)](#)]
- 4) GEOPA activities concerning salaries in agriculture
- 5) Promotion: preliminary information on the EC's proposal
- 6) Plant health update [[PHY\(13\)5500 \(rev.2\)](#)] [[PHY\(13\)5337 \(rev.2\)](#)] [[SEM\(13\)5570 \(rev.2\)](#)]
- 7) Citrus fruit imports from South Africa and plant health issues
- 8) Latest information on bilateral agreements and the WTO [[WTO\(13\)6015 \(rev.1\)](#)]
 - a) Calendar [[WTO\(13\)6017 \(rev.1\)](#)]
 - b) TTIP [[BILAT\(13\)6029 \(rev.2\)](#)] [[BILAT\(13\)4719 \(rev.5\)](#)] and public consultation on rules of origin
- 9) Possible discussion of revision of national plans concerning the Nitrate Directive with a representative of DG ENVI [[FL\(13\)6447 \(rev.1\)](#)]
- 10) Preparation of the Advisory Group meeting based on the agenda from DG AGRI [[COM\(13\)6066 \(rev.1\)](#)]
 - a) Information on the future of advisory groups [[CC\(13\)5850 \(rev.1\)](#)]
 - b) Code of good practices

PARTICIPATION FORM
PLEASE RETURN TO MYRIAM BOULOGNE
BY 13TH SEPTEMBER 2013 AT THE LATEST
BY E-MAIL: myriam.boulogne@copa-cogeca.eu
AND/OR BY FAX: 00.32.22.87.27.00

WORKING PARTY ON FRUIT AND VEGETABLES
30/09/2013* 2:30 P.M. – 6:00 P.M.

NAME:

ORGANISATION/COUNTRY:

E-MAIL:

am able to attend am unable to attend

WORKING LANGUAGE:

French English German Italian Spanish Polish Romanian

ADVISORY GROUP ON FRUIT AND VEGETABLES
01/10/2013* 9:30 A.M. – 6:00 P.M.

NAME:

ORGANISATION:

would like to participate as a reimbursed expert²

would like to participate as a non-reimbursed expert¹

NB: The Copa-Cogeca Secretariat will inform you of the composition of the Copa-Cogeca delegation participating in the Advisory Group **8 working days before the meeting.** Members of the Working Party who do not complete and return their form before the deadline will not be taken into account when forming the Copa-Cogeca delegation.

² According to the standards and criteria laid down by Copa-Cogeca in the document [PR(04)72F1]/P(04)166F1