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### **SUMMARY RECORD**

**Subject:** 1400th meeting of the Special Committee on Agriculture (SCA)

held in Debrecen (Hungary) on 30 May 2011

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#### 1. Adoption of the provisional agenda

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The agenda was approved.

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### 2. Summary Record of the 1399th meeting of the SCA

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The Special Committee on Agriculture approved the summary record.

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# 3. <u>Proposal for a Council Regulation determining measures on fixing certain aids, refunds and prices related to the single common organisation of agricultural markets</u>

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<u>The SCA</u> took note of the outcome of the examination of the Article 43(3) proposal set out in document 10579/11 and of the Presidency suggested amendments included in document 10699.

On the issue of the non-opinion procedure the SCA:

- having heard the explanations provided by the Council Legal Service, noted the
  Commission's opposition to the suggested inclusion of a reference to the non-opinion procedure in the text;
- also noted that the suggested inclusion of such a provision is not unanimously supported by delegations.

On the issue of the scope the SCA:

- noted views expressed by delegations;
- agreed to come back to this issue at a later stage.

On the issue of the proposed transfer of competence in Articles 7 and 8 of the proposal the SCA:

- noted a significant number of delegations oppose the proposed transfer of competence;
- requested the Commission to reflect and to address the concerns of those delegations.

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#### 4. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Council Regulation (EC) No 1698/2005 on support for rural development by the **European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD)**

(Legislative deliberation - First reading)

Presidency debrief on the outcome of the informal trialogue 14344/10 AGRI 375 AGRISTR 10 CODEC 941 9992/11 AGRI 360 AGRISTR 34 CODEC 789

The SCA took note of the information provided by the Presidency and will come back to this file on 14 June.

5. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Council Regulation (EC) No 73/2009 establishing common rules for direct support schemes for farmers under the common agricultural policy and establishing certain support schemes for farmers

(Legislative deliberation - First reading)

Presidency debrief on the outcome of the informal trialogue 14306/10 AGRI 374 CODEC 938 10143/11 AGRI 371 CODEC 816

#### The SCA:

- was informed of the outcome of the first informal trialogue between the Presidency, the Commission and the representatives of the European Parliament on 24 May 2011;
- took note of the intention of the Presidency to present an adjusted mandate to be discussed at one of the next SCA meetings in view of the next informal trialogue on 22 June 2011.

#### 6. Organisation of future work

The Presidency gave further detailed information to the SCA on the organisation of the upcoming meeting on 6 June 2011.

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