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1. **Adoption of the agenda** 6884/23

The agenda was adopted.

Non-discussion items (I)

2. **Summary record of the 1686th meeting of the SCA** 6574/23

The SCA approved the summary record.

Discussion items (II)

3. **Market situation in particular following the invasion of Ukraine** 6923/23
6926/23

Information from the Commission
Preparation of the Council debate

The SCA took note of the information provided by the Presidency on the organisation of the Council debate, of the information provided by the Commission on the situation of agricultural markets and of the delegations' comments/questions.

4. **G20 Agriculture Ministers' meeting** 6812/2/23 REV 2
Draft guidelines for the EU position

The SCA discussed the updated EU Guidelines for the G20 Agriculture Ministerial Meeting, on which delegations could provide written comments until 7 March, close of business, in order to ensure timely approval through an informal written consultation, before their adoption by the Council as an "A" item.

5. **Trade-related agricultural issues**
Information from the Commission
Preparation of the Council debate

The SCA took note of the information provided by the Commission, the views expressed by delegations, and the information provided by the Presidency on the organisation of the upcoming Ministerial discussion. The Presidency will continue to regularly invite the Commission to update the SCA on any developments in agricultural trade, trade negotiations, and other related issues.

6. Regulation on the labelling of organic pet food
Mandate for negotiations with the European Parliament

1**C** 6155/1/23 REV 1

The SCA noted there was a qualified majority of delegations who support the Presidency suggestions. It therefore gave the Presidency a negotiating mandate on the basis of the Presidency text set out in document 6155/1/23 REV 1.

The SCA also took note of the comments made by delegations on this subject and the Commission's reaction.

Any other business

7. Organisation of future work

The Presidency informed the SCA about the next SCA meeting on 13 March 2023 and the "Agriculture and Fisheries" Council on 20 March 2023.

Regarding that Council meeting:

- The Latvian delegation requested an item on behalf of the Latvian and Lithuanian delegations under "Any other business" on the "Situation in the dairy sector".



First reading



Item based on a Commission proposal
