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1. Adoption of the provisional agenda

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The agenda was approved.

2. **Summary Record of the 1378th meeting of the Committee**

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The <u>Committee</u> approved the summary record.

3. Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 247/2006 laying down specific measures for agriculture in the outermost regions of the Union

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The Committee approved the mandate for an informal trialogue with the European <u>Parliament</u>, with the exception of two amendments that are still under discussion concerning the derogation for the sugar industry in the Azores.

The Committee agreed to approve, by way of a silence procedure, the rest of the mandate, once the proposal for the outstanding amendments is approved by the Commission, with a view to formalise the agreement at a forthcoming meeting of the SCA.

Report from the Commission to the Council assessing progress reported by Italy to the 4. Commission and the Council on recovery of additional levy due by milk producers for the periods 1995/96 to 2001/02 (pursuant to Article 3 of Council Decision 2003/530/EC) 8092/10 AGRIFIN 10 FIN 119

The Committee took note of the report from the Commission and of the Italian delegation's comments

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5. Any Other Business

State of negotiations with Croatia
Request from the French delegation
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The <u>Committee</u> took note of the concerns raised by the French delegation regarding sugar in relation to the accession negotiations with Croatia as set out in point 1. of document 8806/10. These concerns were shared by a significant number of delegations (BG. CZ, DE, EL, HU, AT, PL, RO, SI, SK). The <u>Committee</u> also took note of the comments made by the Commission representative.

The <u>Presidency</u> suggested that delegations should follow up on this issue by staying in close contact with their colleagues in the Council body responsible, *i.e.* the Working Party "Enlargement and Countries Negotiating Accession to the EU".

6. Organisation of future work

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