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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Working Party on Commodities
Subject:	Informal videoconference of the members of the Working Party on Commodities (PROBA) on 15 April 2025 - Draft annotated agenda

In view of the informal videoconference of the members of the Working Party on Commodities (PROBA) on 15 April 2025, delegations will find attached the draft annotated agenda.



Annotated agenda

Informal videoconference of the members of the Working Party on Commodities (PROBA)

(Tuesday 15 April 2025, 10:00)

1. Adoption of the Agenda [10:00 – 10:05]

2. Grains [10:05 – 11:20]

Presentation of the proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union in the International Grains Council with respect to establishing new rules on written procedure and Member access to International Grains Council's archives

Presentation of the proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union in the International Grains Council with respect to the extension of the Grains Trade Convention, 1995

Preparation for the IGC Administrative Committee meeting

The Commission will present the above proposals and inform PROBA on the state of preparation of the IGC Administrative Committee meeting.

Delegates will have the opportunity to request further clarifications and to comment.

Documents: WK 4456 2025 INIT, ST 7919/25, WK 4667 2025 INIT

3. Sugar [10:20 – 10:40]

State of play of the discussions in the ISO working group on the succession of the current Executive Director (debrief of second meeting on 28 March 2025)

The Commission will debrief delegations on the outcomes of the above meeting and will inform delegates on state-of-play of the selection



process for the position of Executive Director of the International Sugar Organization.

Delegates will have the opportunity to request further clarifications and to comment.

Documents: n/a

4. Olive oil [10:40 – 11:05]

Presentation of the proposal for Council Decision on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union in the Council of Members of the International Olive Council (IOC) as regards the trade standard for olive oil and olive pomace oil

Presentation of the proposal for Council Decision on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union within the Council of Members of the International Olive Council (IOC), with respect to the accession of the Republic of Iraq to the International Agreement on Olive Oil and Table Olives, 2015

The Commission will present the above proposals.

Delegates will have the opportunity to request further clarifications and to comment.

Documents: WK 4625 2025 INIT; ST 7949 2025 + ADD 1

5. Non-ferrous metals [11:05 – 11:20]

Preparation of Spring Lisbon meetings (22-25 April 2025)

The Commission will inform delegates on the state of the preparations of the Spring Lisbon meetings to be held on 22-25 April.

Delegates will have the opportunity to request further clarifications and to comment.

Documents: tbc



6. Cocoa [11:20 – 11:40]

Follow up of the ICCO Council meeting (7-11 April 2025)

The Commission will debrief delegates of the meeting of the International Cocoa Council which took place on 7-11 April.

Delegates will have the opportunity to request further clarifications and to comment.

Documents: tbc

7. Coffee [11:40 – 12:00]

Follow up of the 139th ICO Council session (27 March 2025)

The Commission will debrief delegates of the International Coffee Council meeting which took place on 27 March.

Delegates will have the opportunity to request further clarifications and to comment.

Documents: tbc

8. Common Fund for Commodities (CFC) [12:00 – 12:15]

Follow-up of the 79th Executive Board meeting (9 April 2025)

The SE delegate will debrief delegates of the Executive Board meeting held on 9 April 2025.

Delegates will have the opportunity to request further clarifications and to comment.

Documents: n/a

9. AOB [12:15 – 12:20]

Delegations who wish to raise an issue under AOB should notify the Presidency by email by 16:00 on Monday 14 April at the latest.