



Brussels, 29/05/2009

**99th MEETING OF THE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE FOR THE COMMON
ORGANISATION OF AGRICULTURAL MARKETS
(FRUIT AND VEGETABLES)
Tuesday 26 May 2009 from 09h30 to 17h30
SUMMARY REPORT**

Chairman: Mr H. Versteijlen; 26 delegations were present

**1. PROPOSED MEASURES ON WHICH AN OPINION MAY BE REQUESTED UNDER THE
PROCEDURE PROVIDED FOR IN ARTICLE 195(2) OF REGULATION (EC) No 1234/2007**

No Vote

2. OTHER QUESTIONS

Fruit and vegetables

2.1 Working document Draft Commission Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 1580/2007 of 21 December 2007 laying down implementing rules of Council Regulations (EC) No 2200/96, (EC) No 2201/96 and (EC) No 1182/2007 in the fruit and vegetable sector

2.2 Presentation and exchange of views on the fruit and vegetable market situation

2.3 Annual Reports from Member States (Part A) - format and communication means - presentation of the state of play and second exchange of views

The MS delegations were invited to send written comments by 29 May. The exchange of view also concerned the date of first application of the proposed new annual report format (as from the annual report related to year 2009, due by 15 November 2010) and the necessity to anticipate its use (in part), where relevant, for the annual report related to year 2008 (due by 15 November 2009).

2.4 Marketing year 2007/2008 Balance: Tomatoes, peaches, pears, prunes and figs. Notifications from Member States in accordance with Article 39(2) (b) to (g) of Regulation (EC) No 1535/2003".

2.5 Price reporting in fruit and vegetable sector

2.6 Working document on the management of the EU School Fruit Scheme (containing a number of recommendations and practical advice), update after comments of Member States.

- 2.7 Provide information on what Member States intended to do with the "Home processing" derogation in the marketing standards regulation (Article 3 (3) of regulation 1580/2007 refers)
- 2.8 Update of the logistical costs for free distribution - summary of Member States' contributions
- 2.9 Fresh apples imports into the EC in 2008 according to different data sources.
- 2.10 Miscellaneous "Fruit and vegetables"
- 2.11 Interbranch organisation in the fruit and vegetables sector-Extension of rules HORTYFRUTA (Andalusia-Spain) on quality"

Bananas

- 2.12 Presentation of the banana market situation

signed
T.GARCIA AZCARATE
Head of Unit
on behalf of
H. VERSTEIJLEN
Director

Management Committee for the Common Organisation of Agricultural Markets

List of participants: 26 May 2009

Member State	Ministry or Organism	Number of delegates
BE	Vlaamse overheid	1
	Ministère de la Région Wallonne	1
BG	Ministry of Agriculture	1
	DFZ	1
CZ	Ministry of Agriculture	1
DK	Fødevareministeriet - DFFE	1
DE	BMELV	2
	BLE	1
EE	Ministry of Agriculture	1
IE	Dept Agriculture and Food	2
EL	Ministry of Agriculture	2
	Representation permanente	1
ES	Ministerio de Agricultura Pesca y Alimentacion	1
	Generalitat Cataluna	1
FR	Ministère de l'Agriculture	1
	Office de l'élevage	1
IT	Ministero Agricoltura	2
	MIPAF	1
CY	Ministry of Agriculture	1
LV	Ministry of Agriculture	1
LT	Ministry of Agriculture	1
LU	Ministère de l'Agriculture	0
HU	Ministry of Agriculture	2

MT	Ministry for Rural Affairs and the Environment	2
NL	Ministerie van Landbouw	1
	Produktschap Tuinbouw	1
AT	BMLFUW	1
	Agramarkt	1
PL	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	1
	Agricultural market agency	1
PT	Ministerio da Agricultura (GPP)	3
RO	Permanent representation	1
SI	Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Food	2
SK	Ministry of Agriculture	1
	Agricultural Paying Agency	1
FI	Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry	1
	Agency for Rural Affairs	1
SE	Swedish Board	1
UK	DEFRA	2