



DRAFT AGENDA FOR THE MEETING OF THE AGRI-ENVIRONMENT CORRESPONDENTS

Friday 19/03/2010 10h00 – 17h00
CONFERENCE CENTRE ALBERT BORSCHETTE (CCAB)
RUE FROISSART 36,1040 BRUSSELS

1. Approval of the Draft Agenda
2. Approval of the draft summary record of the last meeting
3. The role of the Agri-Environment Correspondents' Group: a brief reminder
4. Forest protection and information Green Paper

Presentation by ENV unit B1 (Joost van de Velde)

5. Soil biodiversity: presentation of a study undertaken for the Commission

Presentation by ENV unit B1 (Luca Marmo)

6. Buffer strips; great environmental opportunity

Presentation by ENV unit B1 (Eva Viestova)

7. Discussion on expected financial needs to deliver environmental policy in the post 2013 period - informal discussion led by DG Environment. Member States are encouraged to contribute to the discussion, for example by mentioning studies or other work they may have done on this subject, whether in individual environmental sectors (e.g. for biodiversity) or more generally.

Discussion led by DG ENV unit B.1 (Krzysztof Sulima)

Lunch (12.30 – 14.00)

8. Provision of public goods through agriculture in the European Union : presentation of a study undertaken for the Commission

Presentation by the IEEP (Tamsin Cooper)

9. Biodiversity: updated policy overview, including the post 2010 targets

Presentation by DG ENV unit B2 (Pauwels Natalie)

10. NATURA 2000 implementation

Presentation by DG ENV unit B3, and input welcome from Member States (Marco Cipriani)

11. Agricultural projects financed under LIFE: some examples

Presentation by DG ENV unit E4 (Urquijo Zamora Santiago)

12. AOB