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Directorate D. Direct support
Director

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Subject: Summary report of the 9th Committee for direct payments held on 19/01/2015

Chairman: Nicolas Clisson

Vote : Pierre Bascou

All Member States were present.

1. POSEI:

The Commission representative presented a draft Commission Implementing Decision approving a major modification to the POSEI programme for France – DSCG/2014/42.

The Committee delivered a positive vote (all Member States).

The adoption procedure will be launched within a short delay.

2. INTEGRATED ADMINISTRATION AND CONTROL SYSTEM (IACS):

Presentation and discussion on a draft guidance document on aid applications and payment claims as referred to in Article 72 of Regulation (EU) No 1306/2013 – DSCG/2014/39_REV 2

The Commission representative presented the REV 2 of the draft guidance document of the Commission services on aid applications and payment claims as referred to in Article 72 of Regulation (EU) No 1306/2013. An exchange of views took place. The Member States were invited to send their written comments.

3. ANY OTHER BUSINESS:

Attention of the delegates has been drawn to the two following letters provided to DK and published on CircaBC under the Q&A folder related to regulation 1307/2013 (except greening) and in the subfolder on young farmers' scheme:

1. **"DK - Article 50(5) ANSWER (Q-2014-10-10)"** which relates to the payment period established according to Article 50(5)
2. **"DK-Article 50 (Article 49 of R 639) REPLY (Q-2014-12-05)"** in respect of the effective and long term control referred to in Article 49(1)(b) of Regulation 639/2014

The Commission representative added that the two written questions received in the context of the DP committee meeting on active farmers on one hand and on the small farmers' scheme on the other hand will be replied in writing.

In reply to a Member State question, the Commission representative informed the delegates that the update of the working document DS/2009/27 on increase of the control rate will be prepared soon.

A Member State asked a question about the payment for young farmers. The Commission representative invited the Member State to send a written question on this issue.

In reply to a Member State question, the Commission representative informed the delegates that a question and answer document on the selection of the control sample of area-related aid schemes according to art.30, 31 and 34 of Regulation (EU) No 809/2014 is also being prepared and will in principle be presented during a next Direct Payment Committee.

The Commission representative informed the delegates that the next Direct Payment Committee meetings will take place on 11 February and probably second half of March 2015.

"e-signed"

Pierre BASCOU
Director

COMMITTEE FOR DIRECT PAYMENTS

List of participants – 19/01/2015

Member States	ORGANISATION	Number of delegates
BE	Vlaamse overheid – department landbouw en visserij	2
	Service public de Wallonie	1
BG	Ministry of Agriculture and Food	1
	Paying Agency	3
CZ	Ministry of Agriculture	1
	Paying Agency	1
DK	Naturerhvervstyrelsen	2
DE	Bundesministerium für Ernährung, Landwirtschaft und Verbraucherschutz (BMELV)	1
	Federal Office for Agriculture and Food	1
EE	ARIB	1
IE	Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine	1
EL	Paying Agency	1
ES	FEGA	1
	MAGRAMA	1
FR	Ministry of Agriculture	2
HR	Ministry of Agriculture	1
	Paying Agency	1
IT	Ministerio delle Politiche Agricole Alimentari e Forestali (MPAAF)	2
	AGEA	1
CY	CAPO	1
LT	Paying Agency	1
LV	Ministry of Agriculture	1
	Rural Support Service	1
LU	Paying Agency	1
HU	Ministry of Rural Development	2
	Paying Agency	1
MT	Paying Agency	1
NL	Ministry of Economic Affairs	1
	Paying Agency	1
AT	BMLFUW	1

PL	Ministry of Agriculture	1
PT	GPP	1
	IFAP	2
RO	Paying Agency	6
SI	Ministry of Agriculture (MAE)	1
	Agency for Agricultural Markets	1
SK	Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development	1
	Paying Agency	1
FI	Ministry of Agriculture	1
SE	Swedish Board of Agriculture	1
UK	DEFRA	1
	Paying agency	1
	Scottish Government	1
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