Stakeholders and Member States meeting on implementation of Council Directive 2008/120/EC: Group housing of sows

AGENDA

Brussels, 17 October 2012, DG AGRI, Rue de la Loi 130, L130, 11th floor, Room B

MORNING SESSION

09.30 Registration of participants

10.00 Welcome of participants
Bernard VAN GOETHEM, DG SANCO

10.05 State of implementation of group housing of sows in the EU
Laurence BONAFOS, DG SANCO

10.20 Costs and benefits of group housing of sows
Miguel A. HIGUERA, ANPROGAPOR

10.35 Market impact of group housing of sows
Stewart HOUSTON, NPA National Pig Association

10.50 Current situation of the European pig market
Kai-Uwe SPRENGER, DG AGRI

11.05 Overview of possible rural development measures to support the implementation of the EU legislation on the welfare of pigs
Taru HAAPANIEMI, DG AGRI

11.20 Coffee break

11.35 NGOs' perspectives on the enforcement of group housing of sows
Peter STEVENSON, CWIF, Compassion in World Farming

11.50 Member States' perspectives on the enforcement of group housing of sows
Gabriele DAMOSER, Austrian Ministry of Health

12:05 Perspectives from the Food and Veterinary Office on the enforcement of Directive 2008/120/EC
Ignacio CARRO PEREZ, Food and Veterinary office, DG SANCO

12:20 QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

13:00 Lunch Break

AFTERNOON SESSION

14.30 Options for proper enforcement of Directive 2008/120/EC and perspectives for after 1 January 2013
Andrea GAVINELLI, DG SANCO

14.45 Debate and conclusions of the meeting

16.00 End of the meeting

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