



## **Agenda for remote stakeholder event on the evaluation of the sustainable use of pesticides Directive 2009/128/EC and impact assessment of its planned revision 19 January 2021**

(times are CET/Brussels time)

### **Session 1: Welcome, introduction of the initiative and wider food sustainability context**

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| 09.30-09.35 | Welcome by Portuguese Council Presidency Moderator Barbara Oliveira <i>Food and Veterinary Directorate General Portugal</i>                                      |
| 09.35-09.45 | Introduction of the initiative Claire Bury <i>Deputy Director General DG SANTE</i>   |
| 09.45-10.00 | Framing pesticide use within the wider context of sustainable food systems Prof. Carina Keskitalo, <i>European Commission Group of Chief Scientific Advisers</i> |
| 10.00-10.10 | Links between review of sustainable use of pesticides Directive, the Farm to Fork strategy and Common Agricultural Policy Niall Gerlitz <i>DG AGRI</i>           |
| 10.10-10.20 | Public feedback received on evaluation roadmap/inception impact assessment Andrew Owen-Griffiths <i>DG SANTE</i>   |
| 10.20-10.50 | Discussion/Q+A   |
| 10.50-11.10 | Coffee/comfort break   |

### **Session 2: Stakeholder perspectives on the current use of pesticides in the EU and expectations from the evaluation and possible revision of the sustainable use of pesticides Directive**

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| 11.10-11.20 | A Member State perspective: Miriam Cavaco <i>Food and Veterinary Directorate General Portugal</i>                                |
| 11.20-11.30 | A farmers' organisation perspective: Pedro Gallardo <i>COPA-COGECA</i>   |
| 11.30-11.40 | An NGO's perspective: David Cary <i>Pesticide Action Network Europe</i>  |
| 11.40-11.50 | A water industry perspective: Claudia Castell-Exner <i>EurEau European Federation of national associations of water services</i> |
| 11.50-12.00 | A public health perspective: Helle Raun Andersen <i>Human Biomonitoring for EU project (HBM4EU)</i>                              |

- 12.00-12.10: A perspective regarding pesticide application equipment: Peter Hloben *European Agricultural Machinery Association*
- 12.10-12.40 Discussion/Q+A
- 12.40-14.00 Lunch break

**Session 3: Further stakeholder perspectives on the current use of pesticides in the EU and expectations from the evaluation and possible revision of the sustainable use of pesticides Directive and closing of the event**

- 14.00-14.10 A crop protection perspective: Laurent Oger *CropLife Europe (formerly known as European Crop Protection Association)*
- 14.10-14.20 A consumer perspective: Eleni Ioannou-Kakouri and Pinelopi Ziegler, *Cyprus Consumers Association (BEUC member organisation)*
- 14.20-14.30 A beekeeping sector perspective: Cindy Adolphe *European Professional Beekeepers' Association*
- 14.30-14.40 A perspective on the non-agricultural use of pesticides: Tom Goetmaeckers *Flanders Environment Agency Vlaamse Milieumaatschappij, Belgium*
- 14.40-14.50 A non-EU perspective: Jane Proctor *Canadian Produce Marketing Association*
- 14.50-15.00 Presentation of planned Commission-contracted external study to support the evaluation and impact assessment: Karin Attström *Ramboll* and Daniel Traon *Arcadia International*
- 15.00-15.30 Discussion/Q+A and closing remarks by Portuguese Council Presidency moderator Barbara Oliveira and Pilar Aguar Fernandez *Director DG SANTE F*



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