



Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

DRAFT AGENDA

INTERPARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEE MEETING

European Parliament - National Parliaments

**“Towards the CAP after 2020:
the Future of Food and Farming”**

Tuesday, 24 April 2018, 14.00– 18:00

European Parliament, Brussels

József Antall building (JAN), Room 4Q2

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Order of business

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12.30 - 13.00 Registration of participants

13.00 - 14.00 Buffet lunch (Brasserie JAN 3 Q)

14.05 - 14.10 Welcome and opening speech by Czesław Adam Siekierski, Chair of the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development of the European Parliament

14.10 - 14.25 Introductory speech by Phil Hogan, Commissioner for Agriculture and Rural development

14.25 - 14.35 Rumen Porodzanov, Minister of Agriculture, Food and Forestry of Bulgaria, on the priorities of the Bulgarian Presidency of the Council of the European Union

14.40 - 16.05	<i>SESSION I - The future Agriculture Policy: A modernised and results based policy for sustainable growth, environmental protection, quality food, health and jobs in the EU</i>
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Moderator: François-Xavier Simon (journalist AGRA EUROPE)

Speakers:

14.45 - 15.00 Herbert Dorfmann, EP rapporteur on “The Future of Food and farming” Communication

15.00 - 15.10 Josef Plank, Secretary General of the Austrian Ministry for Sustainability and Tourism, future Austrian Presidency of the Council of the European Union

15.10 - 15.25 Jean Bizet, Chairman of the European Affairs Committee, French Senate

15.20 - 16.05 Debate with national Parliamentarians and MEPs

16.05 - 16.10 Conclusions by the moderator

16.10 - 17.35 SESSION II - *implementing the future agriculture policy: how to improve synergies in a multi-level governance process with a strengthened subsidiarity, including the role of Parliaments*

Moderator Angelo Di Mambro (journalist ANSA)

Speakers:

16.15 - 16.25 Jerzy Bogdan Plewa, Director General for Agriculture and Rural Development, European Commission

16.25 - 16.35 Clara Eugenia Aguilera Garcia, Vice President of ComAGRI

16.35 - 16.45 Pat Deering, TD, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Agriculture, Food and the Marine, Houses of the Oireachtas

16.45 - 17.30 Debate with national Parliamentarians and MEP's

17.30 - 17.35 Conclusions by the moderator

17.35 - 17.40 Closing remarks by Czesław Adam Siekierski, Chair of the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development of the European Parliament