

Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development The Chair

To the Chairperson(s) of the committee(s) concerned

Subject: Interparliamentary Committee Meeting (ICM) on "Vision for Food and Agriculture - Implications at National and EU level" - invitation as speaker

Dear Chair,

With the aim of discussing key agricultural policies, the European Parliament's Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development (AGRI) will hold an Interparliamentary Committee Meeting (ICM) entitled "Vision for Food and Agriculture - Implications at National and EU Level".

On behalf of the AGRI Committee, I would like to invite you to attend the ICM, which will be held at the European Parliament in Brussels on **Thursday**, **25 September 2025 from 9.00 to 12.30**

The event is organised not only to assess current policies but also with a forward-looking perspective. With a view to the forthcoming Common Agricultural Policy proposals, the event seeks to facilitate a constructive discussion that anticipates legislative developments, ensuring that future policies are well-adapted to the evolving needs and challenges of European agriculture.

This meeting will bring together representatives from the European Parliament, national parliaments, EU institutions, and relevant officials to explore two key thematic areas:

- 1. Ensuring a Fair Standard of Living for Farmers as a Prerequisite for Food Security and Generational Renewal
- 2. New Tools for Risk Management: Enhancing the Agricultural Reserve and Developing Mechanisms to Address Natural, Market, and Sanitary Risks

By fostering direct exchanges between policymakers and experts, this event will serve as a highlevel forum for dialogue, enabling participants to assess policy impacts, share best practices, and explore solutions to key challenges facing the agricultural sector at both national and EU levels.

I would thus like to cordially invite up to four Members of the relevant committee(s) from each national Parliament (two from each Chamber in the case of bi-cameral Parliaments) to attend this meeting.

The meeting will also provide an opportunity to exchange successful strategies and best practices from various Member States, further contributing to informed decision-making in shaping future agricultural policy.

In this discussion, the role of national parliaments is crucial. I therefore count on your participation and look forward to your valuable contributions to these important topics.

Please find enclosed the preliminary draft agenda. A final copy will be circulated closer to the date of the meeting. Practical details regarding the meeting will be provided at a later stage.

I look forward to welcoming you to the European Parliament on 25 September.

Yours sincerely,

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