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SUMMARY RECORD

**Subject : 1455th meeting of the Special Committee on Agriculture (SCA)
held in Brussels on 15 April 2013**

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1. **Adoption of the provisional agenda**

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The agenda was approved.

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2. **Summary record of the 1453rd meeting of the SCA**

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The SCA approved the summary record.

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3. **CAP Reform Package:**

- **Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing rules for direct payments to farmers under support schemes within the framework of the common agricultural policy**
- **Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a common organisation of the markets in agricultural products (Single CMO Regulation)**

= Oral Presidency debriefing on the outcome of the first trilogues

The SCA took note of the oral information provided by the Presidency on the outcome of the first informal trilogues on the Direct Payments and Single CMO dossiers both of which took place on 11 April 2013.

= Updated amounts concerning Article 44 and Annexes II, III and V of Direct Payments
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The SCA took note of the Presidency paper reflecting the European Council conclusions on the Multiannual Financial Framework on 7-8 February 2013 (doc 7772/13), as well as of delegations' scrutiny reserves.

The SCA further took note of the Presidency's invitation to those delegations requesting further clarification to contact the Presidency bilaterally with a view to lifting their scrutiny reserves and to completing the Presidency negotiating mandate on this point prior to the informal trilogue scheduled for 6 May 2013.

4. **Organisation of future work**

The Presidency informed the SCA on the organisation of its future work.