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SUMMARY RECORD

Subject: 1508th meeting of the Special Committee on Agriculture (SCA) held in
Brussels on 5th June 2015

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1. **Adoption of the agenda**
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The agenda was adopted.

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2. **Summary record of the 1507th meeting of the SCA**
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The SCA approved the summary record.

II

3. **Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on organic production and labelling of organic products, amending Regulation (EU) No XXX/XXX of the European Parliament and of the Council [Official controls Regulation] and repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 834/2007**
– Preparation of the General approach
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The SCA held a discussion based on the compromise text contained in document 8830/15 (which completed and amended documents 8322/15 and 8576/15). The SCA took note of the views expressed by the delegations, the Commission and the Council Legal Service. A number of delegations were still not ready to support the compromise text from the Presidency. The Presidency stressed that this was a fragile compromise and urged the delegations to show flexibility. The Presidency will try to accommodate certain outstanding issues with a view of reaching a general approach at the Council on 16 June.

4. **Extension of eligibility of expenditure for 2007-2013 Rural Development Programmes**
– Information from the Commission

The SCA took note of the information provided by Commission on its intentions regarding a possible extension of the eligibility of expenditure for rural development for the 2007-2013 period. The SCA also took note of the points raised by delegations and the replies of the Commission.

5. **Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) .../...of XXX amending Delegated Regulation (EU) No 807/2014 as regards transitional provisions for the 2007-2013 rural development programmes**

- Presentation by the Commission
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The SCA took note of the presentation by the Commission of its Delegated Regulation amending Delegated Regulation (EU) No 807/2014 as regards transitional provisions. The SCA also took note of the views expressed by delegations and the replies of the Commission.

6. **EU position on OIV resolutions**

- Preparation of EU position on OIV resolutions to the 13th General Assembly of the International Organisation of Vine and Wine
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Regarding the OIV draft resolutions affecting the acquis if adopted by the OIV, the SCA could agree to them as set out in doc. 9489/15 ADD 1, subject to the updating of their titles. As regards the Council Decision as proposed by the Commission (doc. 9489/15), the SCA noted a very large support while recording the comments and scrutiny reservations entered by some delegations. The Presidency invited these delegations to lift their reservations by Wednesday 10 June close of business.

The SCA also took note of the delegations' positions on the resolutions which do not affect the acquis if adopted by the OIV.

7. **International Olive Council - new agreement**

- Information from the Commission

The SCA took note of the oral information provided by the Commission about the negotiations on the new agreement of the International Olive Council.

The SCA also took note of the comments made by one delegation.

8. **Organization of future work**

The Presidency informed the SCA about the next meeting of the SCA as well as on the preparation of the Council "Agriculture and Fisheries" meeting on 16 June 2015.