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Brussels on 25th January 2016

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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 1520th meeting of the SCA**
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The SCA approved the summary record.

II

3. **Presentation of the Presidency Work programme**

The SCA took note of the Presidency Work programme as well as of the comments made by delegations and the Commission.

4. **International agricultural trade issues**
– Information from the Commission

The SCA took note of the information provided by the Commission and of the views expressed by delegations, including the request by several Member States that the Commission prepare an assessment of the cumulative impact on the EU agricultural sector of the various EU free trade agreements. The Presidency will regularly invite the Commission to update the SCA on developments in international agricultural trade negotiations.

5. **Delegated acts planned for the first half of 2016**
– Information from the Commission

The SCA took note of the information provided by the Commission representative. In the light of that information and of delegations' comments the Presidency may propose to include certain delegated acts on the agenda of future SCA meetings for a more detailed presentation.

6. **Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) No 1308/2013 and Regulation (EU) No 1306/2013 as regards the aid scheme for the supply of fruit and vegetables, bananas and milk in educational establishments (first reading)**

Proposal for a Regulation of the Council amending Regulation (EU) No. 1370/2013 determining measures on fixing certain aids and refunds to the common organisation of the market in agricultural products

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The SCA took note of the information provided by the Presidency and by the Commission representative as well as of the comments made by one delegation and of the request of another delegation concerning a Commission statement clarifying the scope of the limitation of aid to the milk component.

7. **Agricultural Markets Task Force**

- Information from the Commission

The SCA took note of the information provided by the Commission, including the request to delegations to contribute to the work of the AMTF, and of the Presidency's intention to discuss the progress of work of the AMTF in both the SCA and the Council in the course of June.

8. **Organization of future work**

The Presidency informed the SCA on the preparation of the SCA meeting on 8 February as well as on the preparation of the Council "Agriculture and Fisheries" meeting on 15 February 2016.