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1. Adoption of the agenda

The agenda was adopted with the addition, at the request of the Hungarian delegation, of an AOB item on the timeline for adopting the 3 CAP Reform Proposals (see new item 6(c)).

Non-discussion items (I)

2. Summary record of the 1654th meeting of the SCA

The SCA approved the summary record.

Discussion items (II)

3. The EU Forest Strategy for 2030 Presentation by the Commission Exchange of views

> The SCA took note of the information¹ provided by the Commission on the new EU Forest Strategy for 2030. It also took note of comments on it from delegations, and of the Commission's response, as well as of information from the Council Legal Service.

4. Fit for 55 package (legislative initiatives for the implementation of the updated 2030 climate target): **Contribution of Agriculture and Forestry** Information from the Commission Exchange of views

The SCA took note of the information² provided by the Commission on its "Fit for 55" package. It also took note of comments on it from delegations and of the Commission's response.

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¹ Presentation by the Commission published under WK 11003/2021

² Presentation by the Commission published under WK 11004/2021

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5. JRC study into F2F and Biodiversity Strategies Information from the Commission Exchange of views

The SCA took note of the information³ provided by the Commission on the JRC study into the Farm to Fork and Biodiversity Strategies, and of the delegations' comments and questions.

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Any other business

6. WK 10843/2021 Meeting of the Council (Agriculture and Fisheries) on a) 11-12 October 2021: Setting of the agenda (For the items in the remit of the Special Committee on Agriculture)

The Presidency informed the SCA about the "Agriculture and Fisheries" Council meeting to be held in Luxembourg on 11-12 October 2021.

The Belgian delegation, supported by the Lithuanian delegation, requested an AOB item to be tabled at that Council meeting, on the situation in the pig meat sector.

b) **Organisation of future work**

The Presidency informed the SCA about the next SCA meeting on 4 October.

c) Timeline for adopting the CAP legislation

At the request of the Hungarian delegation, the Presidency undertook to investigate whether there was any scope to shorten the planned timeline for the adoption of the CAP legislation.

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First reading

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C Item based on a Commission proposal



³ Presentation by the Commission published under WK 11037/21