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**1. Adoption of the agenda**

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The agenda was adopted.

**Non-discussion items (I)**

**2. Summary record of the 1769<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SCA**

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The SCA approved the summary record.

**Discussion items (II)**

**3. Market situation, in particular following the invasion of Ukraine**

*Information from the Commission and Member States  
Preparation of the Council debate*

The SCA took note of the information provided by the Presidency on the organisation of the Council debate, of the information provided by the Commission about the situation of agricultural markets and of delegations' comments and questions.

The SCA thus prepared the discussion at the "Agriculture and Fisheries" Council meeting on 27 April 2026.

**4. The strategic importance of agriculture and sustainable forest management in strengthening wildfire risk prevention and resilience**

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*Information from the Commission  
Preparation of the Council debate*

The SCA prepared the exchange of views on the strategic importance of agriculture and sustainable forest management in strengthening wildfire risk prevention and resilience at the "Agriculture and Fisheries" Council meeting on 27 April 2026.

**5. European Court of Auditors' special report No 09/2026:  
“European innovation partnership in the common  
agricultural policy - A key tool for innovation in EU  
agriculture falling short of its full potential”<sup>1</sup>**

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*Presentation by the European Court of Auditors  
Exchange of views*

The SCA took note of the information provided by the representative of the European Court of Auditors and of delegations' questions and comments.

The SCA also agreed with the Presidency's recommendation that no Council conclusions be drafted for this special report and to ask Coreper to confirm this approach.

**Any other business**

**6. Organisation of future work**

The Presidency informed the SCA about the next SCA meeting on 20 April 2026 and the "Agriculture and Fisheries" Council meeting on 27 April 2026.

Regarding that Council meeting, Latvia, also on behalf of Finland, requested a public item under “any other business”, on “The role of peat in achieving EU food security”.

The SCA agreed that this item would be taken in public session in accordance with Article 8(2) of the rules of procedure of the Council.

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<sup>1</sup> In the presence of representatives of the European Court of Auditors (ECA)