

Committee on Development

Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

PROGRAMME

Joint DEVE-AGRI hearing on

"The Impact of the Common Agricultural Policy on developing countries"

27 February 2018, 15:00 – 17:30, Brussels Room: József Antall building (JAN), 4Q2

15:00-15:15 Opening:

- Stelios Kouloglou, Vice-Chair of the Committee on Development
- Paolo De Castro, Vice-Chair of the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

15:15-15:30 Presentation of the study "The impact of the CAP on developing countries"

 Maria Blanco, Professor of Agricultural Economics, Technical University of Madrid (Spain)

15:30-16:15 Panel I: Case Studies - CAP impact in developing countries

A - The CAP's impact on local agricultural production, livelihoods and the right to food

Case study: Milk production in West Africa

 Adama Diallo, Chair of UMPL-B (National Union of minidairies and producers of local milk from Burkina Faso)

B - The impact of the CAP on the environment, land use and meat consumption

 Olivier De Schutter, Co-Chair of IPES-Food (International Panel of Experts on Sustainable Food Systems), Brussels (Belgium)

16:15-17:00 Panel II: The CAP's evolution in the context of Article 208 TFEU

- Harald von Witzke, agricultural economist and former Chair for International Agricultural Trade and Development, Humboldt University, Berlin (Germany)
- Alan Matthews, Professor of European Agricultural Policy,
 Department of Economics, Trinity College, Dublin (Ireland)

17:00-17:30 Conclusion: Policy Coherence for Development and the next CAP

- Phil Hogan, Commissioner for Agriculture and Rural Development
- Leonard Mizzi, Acting Director for Directorate Planet and Prosperity, DG DEVCO
- **Stelios Kouloglou,** Vice-Chair of the Committee on Development
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