

## Newsletter 9th legislature - Issue No 15/2020

Extraordinary Committee meeting

Wednesday 20 May 2020  
15.00 – 17.00

In visioconference

Brussels  
Room: József Antall 4Q2



## Work in progress

**Amending Regulation (EU) No 1305/2013 as regards specific measures to provide exceptional temporary support under EAFRD in response to the COVID-19 outbreak**



The Commission will present a proposal to allow more flexibility in Rural development programmes, limited in time but which will ensure further support to farms and small & medium enterprises in need, due to the impact of COVID-19.

### Equivalence of field inspections carried out in Ukraine on cereal seed-producing crops and on the equivalence of cereal seed produced in Ukraine



The Commission will present a legislative proposal that aims to add Ukraine on the list of countries benefiting from the equivalence of cereal seed-producing crops, following Ukraine's request to the European Commission. After examination, EC issued a positive opinion considering that requirements and system in place in Ukraine are equivalent to the ones of the Union and offer the same assurance as to the Union's system.

### Presentation of the report on the AGRI mission to Spain, 24-26 February 2020



The Chair will present the rapport of the mission to Extremadura region, which is one of the biggest regions of Spain and one of the least populated. The mission took place from 24 to 26 February 2020. Its aim was to become acquainted with the famous "dehesa", a unique multifunctional landscape that contributes greatly to the maintenance of rural population levels.

## Next committee meetings

Tuesday 26 May 2020 (Brussels and in visioconference)

Tuesday 2 June 2020, 09.00-11.00 (Brussels and in visioconference)

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