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Committee meeting

Monday 12 October 2020 16.45 – 18.45

In visioconference Brussels, room József Antall 4Q2



Highlights

Exchange of views on the CAP files



The EP reports on the CAP proposals 2021-2027 gave rise to rich debates over the last months. Political Groups have defined their position and negotiated possible compromises for each of the three texts (Strategic Plans; Financing, Management and Monitoring; Single Common Organisation). On 12 October, AGRI Members will discuss the outcome of this work to prepare for plenary debate and vote on 20 October.

Vote





The COVID-19 pandemic is affecting severely all economic sectors, including agriculture. A comprehensive plan for European recovery will necessitate massive public and private investment in repairing the immediate damage wrought by the Coronavirus. The Commission has proposed to harness the full power of the EU budget to mobilise investment and frontload financial support to help the agricultural sector and rural areas. The Rapporteur (Paolo de Castro) has proposed a working document on the way this file should be handled. It attracted 41 amendments that the Rapporteur and shadows pooled into 7 compromises amendments due to be voted by AGRI on 12 October.

Next committee meetings

Monday 26 October 2020, 16.45 – 18.45 (Brussels) Tuesday 27 October 2020, 9.00 – 11.00 and 11.30 – 12.30 (Brussels)

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