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The 3176th session of the Council of the European Union - **AGRICULTURE and FISHERIES** - will take place on Monday 18 June (10.00) in the Kirchberg Conference Centre in Luxembourg, under the presidency of **Ms Mette GJERSKOV**, Minister for Food, Agriculture and Fisheries of Denmark.

The following points will be discussed at this session:

AGRICULTURE

Reform of the Common Agricultural Policy (CAP) – Presidency progress report

Presentation by the Presidency

Reform of the CAP – Rural development

Orientation debate

Animal welfare

- (a) Communication on the EU strategy for the protection and welfare of animals 2012-2015
- (b) Report on the impact of regulation 1/2005 on the protection of animals during transport

Adoption of Council conclusions

Any other business

Animal welfare - Implementation of requirements on housing of sows

G 20 agriculture vice-ministers/ deputies meeting in Mexico

Impact of antimicrobial resistance on human and animal health sectors

Report on organic production and labelling of organic products

Difficult situation of the milk and dairy market

*This meeting will be held in the **Kirchberg Conference Centre** on place de l'Europe. The press entrance is situated on 2 rue Fort Thüngen. For practical details, please see the [media guide on the new facilities](#).*

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A press conference will be organised at the end of the meeting (+/- 18.00).

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