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Subject: Invitation to a hearing on "New exceptional market measures limiting milk production" on 25 May 2016, Brussels

Dear Commissioner,

On behalf of the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development of the European Parliament, I have the pleasure of inviting you to the above hearing, which will take place on 25 May 2016 from 19:00 to 21:30 in room JAN 2Q2 of the József Antall building of the European Parliament, in Brussels.

This special hearing, inspired by the round table formula, will be held in the context of the new market measures based on Article 222, announced during the Council meeting of 14 March 2016, which would exceptionally grant the possibility of temporarily limiting milk production. It will bring together representatives of the main European Institutions, i.e. the European Commission, the Council represented by the Presidency and the European Parliament as well as different European organisations from the dairy food chain, such as Copa-Cogeca, European Milk Board, Via Campesina and European Dairy Association.

Should you not be able to accept our invitation, we would be very grateful if you could suggest someone who might represent you at an appropriate level for this event.

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of the Committee Secretariat is available to discuss	with your services any practical modalities
related to this event.	

We look forward to welcoming you to our meeting.