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The 3120th session of the Council of the European Union - **AGRICULTURE and FISHERIES** - will take place on Thursday 20 October (10.00) and Friday 21 October 2011 in the Conference Centre - FIL, 5, rue Carlo Hemmer, Luxembourg, under the presidency of **Mr Marek SAWICKI**, Minister for Rural Development of Poland.

The following points will be discussed at this session:

FISHERIES

Fishing opportunities for 2012 for certain fish stocks applicable in the Baltic Sea
- *Political agreement*

EU/Norway: annual consultations for 2012
- *Exchange of views*

AGRICULTURE

CAP reform package:
- *Presentation by the Commission and exchange of views*

Distribution of food products to the most deprived persons
- *Policy debate*

Any other business

Implementation of the directive concerning the welfare of laying hens.

The Presidency will organise a first press conference on agricultural issues at the end of the first day of meeting (+/-18.30). A second press conference on fisheries will be organised at the end of the meeting on the second day.

The public events and the press conferences can be followed by video streaming:

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