

Bucharest, 1 February 2019

## To the Chairperson(s) of the committee(s) concerned

Dear Chair, dear Colleague,

In the framework of the parliamentary dimension of the ongoing EU Council presidency, the Parliament of Romania will organize a meeting on Common Agricultural Policy and Cohesion Policy in Bucharest, at the Palace of Parliament, on 19-20 March 2019.

Given the challenges that these policies are currently facing, we took the opportunity to provide an inter-parliamentary platform for discussions. The aim is to contribute to the rich and complex debates on these topics and to table parliamentary views on the future budgets for cohesion and agricultural policies, the public support for small farmers, the food chain and territorial competitiveness.

In this respect, we are pleased and honoured to invite you and your delegation to attend this conference. For practical purposes, kindly note that we are ready to welcome up to four members per national parliament, two per chamber in case of bi-cameral parliaments.

Finally, please find attached the draft agenda along with the general information document of this event.

Looking forward to welcoming you to Bucharest, Sincerely yours,

Alexandru STĂNESCU

Chair of the Committee for Agriculture, Forestry, Food Industry and Specific Services Romanian Chamber of Deputies Doing SILISTRU

Chair of the Committee for Agriculture, Food Industry and Rural Development Romanian Senate