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**Re: Invitation and agenda for the meetings of the Civil Dialogue Group and of the Copa-Cogeca Working Party on Rural Development on 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> July 2018**

**DRAFT AGENDA**

1. Adoption of the minutes of the last meeting on 11<sup>th</sup> December 2017 and adoption of the agenda
2. Outcome of the events that the chairmanship of the WP and the secretariat participated
3. Exchange of views on **broadband in rural areas** with DG AGRI, Maria Gafo-Gomez, Deputy head of unit, Nikos Chatzoudis, Policy officer and with BCO Support Facility, Jan Droge, Team leader
4. Exchange of views on the **European and National Rural Networks** – the current and future objectives and activities (point for the CDG)
5. Exchange of views on the **MFJ proposal** (point for the CDG)
6. The **future CAP for the period 2021-2027** (point for the CDG)
  - Presentation and exchange of views on the impact assessment, CAP strategic plan and future rural development policy
  - Exchange of views on the new delivery model with DG Agri, Christiane Kirketerp, Policy officer
7. Suggestions for topics for the next WP and CDG on Rural Development

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