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**DRAFT AGENDA**

**Working party on Rural Development, 18th September 2017**

**10h00-18h00**

**Morning session – 10h00 - 13h00**

1. Adoption of the minutes of the last meeting on 14th February 2017 [DR(17)1400 (rev.1)](http://www.copa-cogeca.eu/downloadThread.aspx?threadID=141678) and adoption of the agenda [DR(17)6013 (rev.2)](http://www.copa-cogeca.eu/downloadThread.aspx?threadID=151159)
2. Outcome of the events that the chairwoman and the secretariat participated
3. Exchange of views with DG Regio (Mr Krzysztof Kasprwyk, Policy officer)
* High level expert group on simplification – conclusions and recommendation for post 2020
* Future Cohesion policy and ESI funds and their importance for rural development
1. Exchange of views on Result based payments

**Afternoon session – 14h30 - 18h00**

1. Exchange of views with ENRD (Mr David Lamb, Policy analyst) and EUFRAS (Prof. Tom Kelly, Chair) on a possible event on the importance of the advisory services and the role of NRN and farmers organisations
2. Exchange of views on the draft paper on increasing the performance of the RD policy
3. State of play of the CAP implementation
* Tour de table on the state of play of implementation of the RD measures (including ANC measure)
* State of play of the Omnibus Regulation
1. State of play on the future CAP – time table, Copa and Cogeca activities and position papers, future of the ANC measure
2. AOB