

# **CEFS-EFFAT-CIBE CONFERENCE**

***Tuesday June 28th 2005***

**Auditorium of the International Trade Union House (ITUH)  
Boulevard du Roi Albert II, 5 – 1210 – Brussels**

**10 h – 16 h 30**

**Chairman : Mr Joseph DAUL**

Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development at the European Parliament

## **AGRICULTURAL ASPECT** (10 h - 12 h 30)

Introduction : Mrs Mariann FISCHER BOEL

Commissioner in charge of Agriculture and Rural Development at the European Commission  
Broad lines of the reform

***Coffee break : 11 h – 11 h 30***

Presentation by Mr Otto von ARNOLD  
President of the CIBE

The financial impact of the reform and compensation for beet-growers  
Mr Jean François SNEESSENS, Professor of agricultural economics at Louvain-la-Neuve

ACP – Agricultural and industrial action plan - Dr Patrick I. GOMES  
Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary , Guyana

***12 h 30 – 14 h : lunch*** - (Press Conference 12 h 30 – 13 h)

## **INDUSTRIAL ASPECT** (14 h – 15 h)

Reform of the sugar regime : Mr Joseph DAUL  
European Parliament  
Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

Industrial restructuring fund  
and concrete cases of industrial adaptation  
Mr Jean Louis BARJOL  
Director General of the CEFS

Conclusions : Mr Johann MARIHART, President of the CEFS

***Coffee break : 15 h – 15 h 30***

## **EMPLOYMENT ASPECT** (15 h 30 – 16 h 30)

Mr Fernando VASQUEZ, counsellor of Mrs Odile Quintin on restructuring  
Communication of the Commission on restructuring and employment

Economic and Social Committee  
Mr Martin SIECKER, Section Agriculture, Rural Development and the Environment

Initiative by the social partners  
for an analysis of the accompanying measures  
Mr Harald WIEDENHOFER, General Secretary of EFFAT  
Mrs Marianne NAGY, Chairwoman of the CEFS Working Group on Social Questions