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Beste collega's,

Zie onderstaande bericht.

Met groet,

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Onderwerp: Glyphosate Task Force letter to the Commissioner

Dear 5.1.2.e Woo,

You are probably aware that there is an extraordinary standing committee meeting scheduled for 6 June with the *extension* of glyphosate as the only agenda point. In our view an extension of glyphosate for 18 months or 2 years is not a good scenario. Delaying the re-approval of glyphosate causes unnecessary uncertainty and market disruption. Also the extension would delay the re-registration of plant protection products at national level which creates more work for member states as well as industry. The Commission has no scientific or legal reasons not to grant re-approval of glyphosate. Therefore the glyphosate task force has sent the attached letter to the commissioner last Friday in which we urge the commission to renew glyphosate for 15 years. The letter is public.

Can you please share our letter further within the ctgb as appropriate?

FYI, also other stakeholders have raised their concerns on the glyphosate situation, e.g. the European farmers association Copa-Cogeca has issued a press release: <http://www.copa-cogeca.be/Download.ashx?ID=1523340&fmt=pdf>

Please feel free to contact us if you wish more information or would like to discuss.

Kind regards,

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