Trade Policy Briefs: FAO Support to the WTO Negotiations at the 13th Ministerial Conference

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Agenda

14h00-14h05	Welcome remarks and introduction of speakers	Dominique Burgeon, Director, FAO Liaison Office in Geneva
14h05-14h10	Setting the background and brief introduction of the work of FAO's Markets and Trade Division	Georgios Mermigkas, Senior Economist, Markets and Trade Division, FAO
Presentations of the Trade Policy Briefs		
14h10-14h15	'The importance of international trade for fisheries and aquaculture products' and 'The WTO Agreement on Fisheries Subsidies and the role of FAO'	Audun Lem, Deputy Director, Fisheries and Aquaculture Division, FAO
14h15-14h18	` <u>Developments and prospects in the</u> <u>international cotton market</u> `	Fabio Palmeri, Statistical/Research Assistant, Markets and Trade Division, FAO
14h18-14h21	`Trends in inclusion of environmental related provisions linked to the agriculture, fisheries, and forestry sectors in regional trade agreements`	Cosimo Avesani, Trade Policy Analyst, Markets and Trade Division, FAO
14h21-14h24	`Price transmission in food markets`	Karolina Kozlowska, Econometrics Expert, Markets and Trade Division, FAO
14h24-14h27	`Improving food safety to foster trade'	Vittorio Fattori, Food Safety and Quality Officer, Agrifood Systems and Food Safety Division, FAO
14h27-14h35	Q&A session	
14h35-14h40	Closing remarks	Dominique Burgeon, Director, FAO Liaison Office in Geneva

Moderated by Dominique Burgeon, Director, FAO Liaison Office in Geneva