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The 3084th session of the Council of the European Union - **AGRICULTURE and FISHERIES** - will take place on Thursday 14 April (11.00) in the Conference Centre - FIL, 5, rue Carlo Hemmer, Luxembourg, under the presidency of **Mr Sándor FAZEKAS**, Minister for Rural Development of Hungary.

The following points will be discussed at this session:

FISHERIES

Review of fishing effort management in western waters

Exchange of views

AGRICULTURE

Renewal of the inclusion of carbendazim (plant protection product)

Adoption

Agricultural product quality schemes

Exchange of views

The president of the Council invites the ministers for Agriculture to a lunch on the theme "The role of innovation in revitalising the traditional way of life in rural areas".

The presidency will hold a first press conference on fisheries before lunch and a second press conference on agricultural issues at the end of the meeting.

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