

Vilnius, 28 May 2013

**Invitation to the Meeting of the Chairpersons of the Committees on Rural Affairs  
of 21–22 July 2013**

Dear Colleague,

In my position as Chair of the Committee on Rural Affairs of the Seimas of the Republic of Lithuania, I am honoured to extend my sincere invitation to you to the Meeting of the Chairpersons of the Committees on Rural Affairs to be held on 21–22 July 2013 in Vilnius at the Seimas of the Republic of Lithuania.

At the meeting, we will exchange views on the relevant issues regarding the reform of the Common Agricultural Policy, with a special focus on the role of small farmers.

You are cordially invited to dinner on Sunday, 21 July 2013, which will mark the beginning of the Meeting of the Chairpersons of the Committees on Rural Affairs.

Please find enclosed the draft programme of the meeting, the general information and hotel booking forms. For more information, please visit the website of the Parliamentary Dimension of the Lithuanian Presidency of the Council of the European Union at [www.eu2013.lrs.lt](http://www.eu2013.lrs.lt). On the website, you can also find an online registration form for the meeting.

You are kindly requested to register for the meeting **no later than 1 July 2013**.

I look forward to welcoming you to Vilnius.

Yours faithfully,

Saulius Bucevičius  
Chair of the Committee on Rural Affairs