

Dear co-facilitators, dear Secretariat,

Following our several comments and suggestions made during the meeting of 18 September, I'd like to share a new language, subject to be further revised, for the **first sentence of para 26** of the implementation report, that builds on the proposal contained in the co-facilitators proposals in para 16 a) of the background document:

“To improve AG’s effectiveness and enhance inclusiveness, the Bureau will encourage AG members to strengthen their coordination role and to consider the establishment of new mechanisms (building on the experience of CSM and PSM).”

This language is aligned with para 16 a) and, more important, in coherence with the Reform Document (*“ Private sector associations, private philanthropic organizations and other CFS stakeholders active in areas related to food security, nutrition, and the right to food are **encouraged to autonomously establish and maintain a permanent coordination mechanism** for participation in the CFS and for actions derived from that participation at global, regional and national levels. **They are invited** to communicate a proposal to that effect to the CFS Bureau.”*) and the AG rules of Procedures (*“Each **member of the Advisory Group should be responsible for the establishment, maintenance and strengthening of regular linkages with organizations and entities within the category it represents ...**”*)

This proposal is also in the spirit of our interventions yesterday, aiming at a real improvement of the effectiveness and inclusiveness of the AG, through the realization of the goals of the 2009 Reform.

I trust that the revised version of the document requested by the Chair in his letter will refer to the different positions expressed yesterday; as far as Italy’s position is concerned, mentioning the possible, autonomous, formation of new mechanisms is essential.

Thank you for your attention

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