## **AGENDA**

# EU PLATFORM ON FOOD LOSSES AND FOOD WASTE (FLW): SUB-GROUP ON ACTION AND IMPLEMENTATION

25 February 2021 (14:00-18:00)

#### **DG** Health and Food Safety

Online

Chaired by: Ms Anne-Laure Gassin, Team Leader, Food Waste Unit: SANTE.DDG2.D.1

13:30 – 14:00 Technical start (participants connect to the meeting through WebEx Events; technical assistance is provided as needed)

- 1. Welcome and adoption of the agenda
- 2. Scaling up action and mobilising key players across the EU: introductory remarks by the Commission
- 3. Re-establishment of the EU Platform on FLW and assessment of progress made in implementing the Platform key recommendations for action, presentation by the Commission and discussion with members
- 4. EU Food Loss and Waste Prevention Hub website: Member States pages, presentation by the Commission and discussion with members
- 5. Short break
- 6. Information sharing by Platform members and discussion
  - a. Interventions from Member States:
    - Handbook for reduced food waste in public meals & Consumer awareness campaign about Best Before date, presentation by Karin Fritz, Swedish Food Agency, Project leader for the Government Commission in Reducing Food Waste
    - ii. Development of two new food waste prevention actions in the Netherlands intervention date marking & database of sustainable food interventions, presentation by Tessa Ooijendijk, Policy maker, Dutch Ministry of Agriculture, Nature and Food Quality

iii. The Refood Movement - An Innovation in Food Rescue, Waste Avoidance and Food Security at the Local, National and Global levels, presentation by Hunter Halder, founder of the organisation Re-food 4 Good, Portugal

### b. <u>Interventions from private sector organisations:</u>

- The new normal: How to communicate about food waste in the time of COVID-19, presentation by Selina Juul, Chairman of the Board and Founder of Stop Wasting Food movement, European of the Year 2020
- ii. Food waste prevention in the hospitality sector: food for thought, presentation by Marta Machado, Deputy Director General, HOTREC
- Changing food waste behaviours and the COVID moment, presentation by Richard Swannell, International Engagement Director, WRAP

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