



G7 Sustainable Supply Chains Initiative (G7SSCI)

“Accelerating Sustainability Action along Global Agricultural Supply Chains”

**High-level meeting between policy makers and the private sector
hosted by Minister Svenja Schulze,
Federal Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ),
Germany**

Friday, 2 December 2022, 9:30-15:00 CET

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Remote participation via Webex

For those attending in person please arrive early to go through security

Draft Agenda – all times CET

MORNING PROGRAMME (CLOSED SESSION WITH G7SSCI PARTICIPANTS)

09:30 - 10:00	Registration and welcome coffee
10:00 – 10:15	Welcome <i>Master of Ceremonies: Mr. Max Baumann, Senior Adviser Transformation of Agri-Food Systems, GIZ</i> Opening remarks: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Minister Svenja Schulze, Federal Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ), Germany• Minister from other G7 government(s) (TBC)
10.15 – 11.15	Roundtable Part I: Scaling-up transformation of food supply chains – Blocks and solutions Moderator: Mr. Max Baumann, Senior Adviser Transformation of Agri-Food Systems, GIZ Setting the scene: Mr. Allan Jorgensen, Head, OECD Centre for Responsible Business Conduct <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Roundtable steering questions to interveners<ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>What bottlenecks / challenges do companies see in improving the sustainability of their supply chains? (e.g. changing farmer behaviour, changing consumer behaviour, changing corporate behaviour; supporting recycling, supporting tracking of data)</i>- <i>What examples of addressing these challenges exist – (e.g. government labelling schemes? Blended finance examples? Regulation/Smart mix of policy?)</i>- <i>How can government interventions support private sector action towards sustainable supply chains? What is needed? What works? What should be avoided?</i> Interveners <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Policy makers, including Ministers from G7 countries• CEOs from G7SSCI companies
11:15 – 11:30	Handover of company G7 SSCI statement and Family photo
11:30-11:45	Roundtable Part II: Final comments from key interveners
11:45-12:00	Closing remarks: Mr. Yoshiki Takeuchi, Deputy Secretary General, OECD
12:00-13:00	Hosted Lunch (open to all stakeholders)

AFTER LUNCH PROGRAMME (OPEN TO ALL STAKEHOLDERS)

Master of Ceremonies: Mr. Max Baumann, Senior Adviser Transformation of Agri-Food Systems, GIZ

- 13:00 – 13:15 **Welcome remarks**
- Mr. Dirk Meyer, Director General, Federal Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ); Germany
 - Mr. Allan Jorgensen, Head, OECD Centre for Responsible Business Conduct
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- 13:15 – 13:30 **Working together for a sustainable future: Progress and potential for improvement**
- Ms. Viktoria de Bourbon de Parme, Food and Agriculture Transformation Lead, World Benchmarking Alliance (WBA)
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- 13:30- 14:15 **Panel: Company commitments to support sustainable agricultural supply chains in light of the growing climate crisis; what is needed to accelerate change**
- Moderated panel discussion, followed by Q&A*
- Moderator: Mr. Max Baumann, Senior Adviser Transformation of Agri-Food Systems, GIZ*
- Company representatives to speak about specific areas of improvement
 - Perspectives of civil society organization
 - Other stakeholders TBC
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- 14:15 – 14:30 **Next steps and way forward**
- Mr. Allan Jorgensen, Head, OECD Centre for Responsible Business Conduct
 - Mr. Dirk Meyer, Director General, Federal Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ), Germany
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- 14:30 – 15:00 **Coffee and cake reception**