

## Nomination d'un nouveau Directeur Général Adjoint à la DG Agriculture

The College of Commissioners of the European Commission have appointed Mr Joost Korte, currently Deputy Director-General in DG Enlargement, as Deputy Director-General in charge of Directorates C, D and E in DG Agriculture. The working unit responsible for fruit and vegetables is part of Directorate C.

Mr Korte, a Dutch National, has been Deputy Director-General for Enlargement since January 2012. Before that, he worked in the Secretariat-General as Director responsible for Relations with the Council, Commission representative in Coreper II (July 2009 to January 2011), G8 Foreign Affairs Sous Sherpa (since October 2010) and Advisor. He was previously Head of Cabinet of Commissioner for Regional Policy Danuta Hübner, and Deputy Head of Cabinet of Commissioner for External Relations Chris Patten. He was also a Lecturer in the Law of International Organisations at the Europa Institute, University of Utrecht, and Leverhulme Visiting Fellow in European Community Law at the Centre of European Governmental Studies, University of Edinburgh.

Mr Korte will take up his new functions on 1 January 2014.

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