

## FRUCOM SUSTAINABILITY WORKING GROUP

14<sup>th</sup> March 2022, 16.30 -18.30 CET (Brussels) time

Electronic meeting on zoom

### DRAFT AGENDA

Chair: **Burcu Turkey** Global Sustainability Manager for Nuts, OFI

■ Opening of the meeting, approval of agenda and minutes	16.30-16.35 Chair
■ Living wage and living incomes in complex agri-food supply chains	16. 35- 17.40
Living wage and living incomes: their role in agriculture and lessons from IDH <b>Lisa van Wageningen</b> IDH (confirmed) [presentation]	
Living wage and living incomes as part of trade and sustainability <b>Steven Collet</b> Netherlands Government (confirmed)	
Integrating living wage and living income principles into supply chains <b>Ömer Oktay</b> Voicevale (confirmed) [presentation]	
Addressing living incomes in global partnerships <b>Leonard Mizzi</b> European Commission – DG INTPA (confirmed) [presentation]	
Questions and Answers	
■ FRUCOM updates	17:40 – 18:15
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Packaging and Packaging Waste Regulation</li> <li>- Corporate sustainability due diligence</li> <li>- Roundtable update: event on retailers and sustainability labelling</li> <li>- EU Green Deal and Farm to Fork policy state of play</li> </ul>	
■ A.O.B., conclusions and agreement on actions	18:15 Chair
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Member Suggestion &amp; Exchange: Annual FRUCOM Sustainability Award</li> </ul>	
■ Topics for next meetings	

**Lisa van Wageningen** Aquaculture programme manager – IDH

Lisa van Wageningen is Programme Manager Aquaculture at IDH. IDH convenes action-driven coalitions to drive impact on the Sustainable Development Goals and create value for all. Lisa coordinates the Aquaculture Programme. Currently she focusses on convening a coalition of (tropical) aquaculture companies to better measure and reduce their environmental footprint; as well as on better understanding living wage gaps in the industry.

**Steven Collet** Netherlands Government, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Director Sustainable Economic Development Department and Ambassador Business & Development at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands. Steven has been working on economic development and trade for two decades, working in multilateral, bilateral and private sector arena's. In his current role, Steven is responsible for the Dutch government's effort to promote decent work and economic development (SDG8), and private sector and financial markets engagement in developing countries.



**Leonard Mizzi** *Head of Unit, European Commission – DG INTPA*

Dr Leonard Mizzi is Head of Unit at the European Commission, Directorate-General (DG) for International Partnerships - Sustainable Agri-Food systems and Fisheries, since 1st of January 2017. Prior to this post he was Head of Unit for 10 years in DG Agriculture and Rural Development, first in charge of agri trade and development issues (2007-2014) and from 2015-2016 leading the inter institutional unit hence relations with the European Parliament, Council and consultative bodies and well as steering the Civil Dialogue Groups.

**Ömer Oktay** *Voicevale Group Sustainability Manager*

Ömer Oktay has worked over 15 years in all layers of sustainability within different roles, starting as an auditor for various sustainability certification schemes. After that, he worked as part of the Better Cotton Initiative and Rainforest Alliance, supporting supply chain actors to implement these standards, leading numerous projects, and engaging with stakeholders. Since May 2021, Ömer has worked for Voicevale as the Group Sustainability Manager, where he leads development and implementation of the sustainability strategy for Voicevale Group. Voicevale is an affiliated member of the Fair Labor Association (FLA), and Ömer manages the implementation of the FLA Agricultural program principles in the Voicevale Brazil nuts supply chain and headquarters.