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Agricultural ZOOM forum “Agriculture and Corona crisis”

RECOMMENDATIONS AND PROPOSALS

1. Within the framework of the action of the future Government, agriculture should be a key sector in strengthening the domestic economy. Special attention should be paid to the improvement and maintenance of agricultural infrastructure in the part of roads, irrigation, drainage and dealing with climate change, as well as respect and functioning of contract production in accordance with the Law on Agriculture and Rural Development.
2. To promote Macedonian domestic agricultural products and to continue stimulating Macedonian citizens to buy domestic products.
3. Accepting the proposal of the NFF, the registered individual farmers whose main activity is agriculture to be supported with appropriate government measures in order to strengthen them.
4. Greater promotion and implementation of the Rulebooks for conditions and hygiene for production and marketing of food of non-animal and animal origin intended for direct supply, in geographical or economic constraints, as well as the general and special requirements for the application of traditional methods of production, processing and distribution of food with traditional characteristics and greater promotion and implementation of the Rulebook for small wineries.
5. Improvement of the economic and social position of young people and women from the rural areas by creating support measures for their economic strengthening and development of entrepreneurship.
6. Creating measures to reduce the outflow of seasonal workers and encourage greater seasonal labor force in agriculture.
7. Greater cooperation by the institutions with the farmers and the scientific institutions in order to create measures, strategies and support for dealing with agriculture and its adaptation to the new time, which is a consequence of the Corona crisis.

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