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TIGHTENING CEREALS SUPPLY SITUATION

The European Starch Industry Association (AAF) has informed the European Commission about its serious concern regarding the current very tight supply situation in the cereals market and its impact on costs.

The current shortage of cereals availability is mainly due to a combination of poor climatic conditions and low stock levels in EU and also on the world market together with an increasing demand (e.g. higher consumption in Asia, biofuel production).

As the European market is more and more linked with the world grain markets and consequently more sensitive to price volatility, it asked the European Commission to act to improve cereal accessibility and trade fluidity in order to alleviate the current market supply situation.

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