

The European Commission sends Statement of Objections in its investigation of Lantmännen Agroetanol

On July 7, a Statement of Objections was sent to Lantmännen Agroetanol by the European Commission. Lantmännen Agroetanol disputes the allegations and will continue to fully exercise its rights of defence.

On July 7, 2022 Lantmännen received a Statement of Objections from the European Commission regarding its investigation into alleged violations of EU competition law in ethanol trade. Lantmännen – having cooperated fully with the Commission during the investigation – disputes the allegations and will continue to exercise its rights of defence.

The European Commission opened the investigation of Abengoa SA, Alcogroup SA and Lantmännen Agroetanol eight years ago, in 2014.

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