

Social Dialogue Committee – Cleaning Industry Plenary session

October 21st, 2011 – 10.00 am – 16.30 pm

Borschette Centre, 36 rue Froissart, Brussels, B-1049 Brussels

Room: tbc

(The meeting room will be displayed in the entrance to the building)

Interpretation: EN/FR/DE/ES

AGENDA

Preparatory meetings 10h00 - 12h30

- UNI Europa delegation with interpretation
- EFCI / FENI at their own premises

Lunch break from 12h30 until 14h00

Afternoon: Meeting starts at 14h00 and finishes at 16h30

1. The “Work and Life Quality in New and Growing Jobs” (WALQING) project:
Addressing quality of work and vulnerable groups in the services
 - General presentation of the project by Monique Ramioul, Research Institute for Work and Society (HIVA) of the Catholic University of Leuven, Belgium
 - Specific information on first project findings by Dr. Vassil Kirov, Institute for the Study of the Societies and Knowledge at the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences
2. Exchange of best practices on standards developed at national level in the cleaning sector: the example of Austria and Finland
 - Presentation by UNI Europa members Michael Haim (VIDA – Austria) and Juhani Salonen (PAM – Finland tbc)
 - Questions and discussion by participants
3. The Danish example on unfair competition and the responsible contractor policy:
 - The example of ISS in Denmark
 - Presentation by UNI Europa member Henriette Olofsen (3F – Denmark)
 - Questions and discussion by participants
4. Update on the revision of the EU directives on public procurement by Laila Castaldo (UNI Europa) and Andreas Lill (EFCI)
5. Follow-up on the on-going representativeness study for DG Employment carried out by the European Foundation for the improvement of living and working conditions
6. Date for next meetings in 2012
7. Any other business