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EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities DG

Social Dialogue, Social Rights, Working Conditions, Adaptation to Change **Social Dialogue, Industrial Relations**

Meeting: Sectoral social dialogue committee, Insurance

Plenary session

Time: 27.05.2008, 9h30

9h30 -11h00 Preparatory meetings:

• Employers: without interpretation

• Employees: - with translation

Translation: - EN FR DE IT ES CZ.

11h00 -17h00 Plenary session

Address: Centre Borschette

DRAFT AGENDA

1. Approval of the agenda & of the minutes of the last plenary meeting

- 2. Project on facilitating the integration in the European Social Dialogue of Social Partners of New Member States in the Insurance Sector
 - Short debriefing on the CZ/SK workshop in Prague (presentation by CZ/SK Social Partners)
 - Discussion about the next steps (workshop in Budapest, Conference in Brussels and follow-up)

3. Comprehensive sectoral analysis of emerging competences and economic activities in the EU

- Presentation of the European Commission's project by DKCR consultancy, with a special focus on financial services and insurance
- Discussion with participants

4. Demography

Presentations by Social Partners on national examples of the best practices.
 Employers: Mr. R.A.C. Blijlevens (Dutch Association of Insurers)

Employees: -

• Discussion about the specific insurance-related topics to be covered by the ISSDC work and about the way forward

5. Non-discrimination

- Presentation by the European Commission of its plan regarding a possible initiative at EU level on discrimination in access to goods, services (including insurance) on grounds of disability / age, religion and sexual orientation.
- Discussion with participants

6. Discussion on the Work Programme 2009

7. AOB

8. Date of the next meeting

• 15 September 2008: ISSDC working group meeting

• 10 December 2008: ISSDC plenary meeting