

EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities DG

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

SECTORAL DIALOGUE
COMMITTEE
ROAD TRANSPORT

PRELIMINARY Draft agenda for the working group meeting 12 February 2009

Separate preparatory meetings from 9.30 hrs till 11.00 hrs

Joint meeting 11.00 hrs till 18.00 hrs (check room number at entrance)

- 1. Adoption of the agenda
- 2. Driver training: Debate on a Social Partners' joint action:
 - a. How to assess the different transposition and organisational choices taken in key areas of Directive 2003/59/EC and their impact on the occupation
 - How to assess the training facilities and infrastructure established in EU
 Member States to evaluate whether such arrangements meet the needs of industry and drivers
 - c. How to analyse the impact of the Directive measuring it against a range of interrelated issues such as the attractiveness of the sector to drivers and recruitment, evolving labour markets, industry image and regulatory, operational and technological changes within the road transport sector
- 3. Any other business