

SOCIAL DIALOGUE IN THE EUROPEAN HOTEL AND RESTAURANT SECTOR

WORK PROGRAMME 2010

	Issues	Methodology	Who	Output
1	European Qualification and Skills' Passport for the hospitality industry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Project "Towards the implementation of the European Qualification and Skills' Passport (QSP) in the Hospitality Sector": further elaboration of the skills' list; assessment of the viability of the project; identification of countries interested in participating in the experimentation phase; translation of the model into various languages • Continue cooperation with other sectors working on skills and qualifications • Ensure compatibility with other passports / systems (Europass, Eures, EQF) 	Steering committee QSP Project Steering Committee	Preparation of future implementation of the passport: - development of an interface and a database (technical implementation) - experimentation of the pilot model in several Member States - QSP Conference
2	Corporate social responsibility: implementation of joint document "An initiative for improving CSR in the hospitality sector"	Collection of good CSR practices of businesses in the hospitality sector and presentation at SDC plenary meetings	Steering committee EFFAT and HOTREC members Plenary meeting	Overview of good CSR practices Inclusion in Commission SSD website
3	Mobility and migration in the EU	Monitoring of the influx of migrant workers in Member States and its impact on the hospitality industry Monitoring EU legislation in the field	Steering committee Plenary meeting	Regular reports
4	Undeclared work / illegal working practices	Monitoring of the extent of undeclared / illegal working practices in the sector and the various ways of addressing the problem at national level (best practices)	Steering committee Plenary meeting	Review of best practices Joint statement
5	Third party violence at the work place	Monitoring of the multi-sectoral initiative	Steering committee Plenary meeting	To be decided
6	Statistics on Hospitality Industry (focus on employment)	Cooperation with EUROSTAT and DG ENTR - Tourism Unit	Steering committee	Improved statistics on employment in the European Hospitality Industry
7	Sector councils on employment and skills	Assessment of the feasibility of the setting up of European sector councils on employment and skills in the European hospitality sector	Steering Committee	To be decided
8	Future Communication on the European Sectoral Social Dialogue	Analysis of the future Communication and its possible impact on the EFFAT/HOTREC social dialogue	Steering Committee	Exchange of positions



9	Posting of workers	Commission Committee of Experts on Posting of Workers	Steering Committee Plenary meeting	To be decided
10	Various legislative developments in relation to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Social matters• Tourism matters	Analysis of the impact of the measures on the hospitality sector	Steering committee Plenary meeting	Possible common positions
11	Global economic and financial crisis	Assessment of the impact on businesses and employment in the hospitality sector and of what we as social partners can do	Steering committee	Joint position / statement?
12	Social tourism	Investigation into social tourism schemes beneficial to the entire tourism sector / CALYPSO project	Steering committee	To be decided
13	Miscellaneous	Check content of Commission SSD website	Secretariats + Mrs. Aufheimer	Improved website