

EFFAT - FERCO

SOCIAL DIALOGUE COMMITTEE FOR THE EUROPEAN CONTRACT CATERING SECTOR

Work programme for 2009

- Joint declaration “Towards the responsible awarding of contracts”
 - Follow up of the joint declaration together with the social partners of the cleaning, private security and textile sectors
 - Awareness raising campaign of the main EU, national, regional and local awarding authorities
 - Follow up of DG EMPL initiative “Guide on social considerations in public procurement”
- EFFAT - FERCO “Guide to the economically most advantageous offer in contract catering”
 - Further promotion of the Guide at national and EU level
- EFFAT - FERCO “Agreement on Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) in the Contract Catering sector”
 - Implementation: identification of examples of best practice
 - Annual stocktaking of implementation
- EFFAT - FERCO agreement on vocational training
 - Annual stocktaking of implementation
- Fight against obesity
 - Follow up of the joint EFFAT - FERCO position
 - Follow up of the works of the EU Platform for action on diet, physical activity and health
- Joint updating of the FERCO training manual on food hygiene in line with new EU hygiene regulation, and setting up of an ad hoc working group
- Annual Plenary meeting of the Social Dialogue Committee
- Steering Committee meetings upon need

Other items that might be taken up in the future:

- Equal opportunities for women and men in the contract catering sector
- European framework for social reporting of companies