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Committee on Economic Affairs and Development

Draft Agenda

of the meeting to be held on Friday 20 May 2011 (09:00-18:00) in Lamezia Terme, Italy (Town Hall, meeting room "Giorgio Napolitano")

[Please also see the separate programme for 19 - 21 May 2011]

1. Revised Draft Agenda

[AS/EC (2011) OJ 05 Rev.3]

- Adoption of the revised draft agenda.

2. Minutes

[AS/EC (2011) PV 04]

- Approval of the draft minutes of the meetings held in Strasbourg during the April part-session 2011.
- 3. a. Budgets and priorities of the Council of Europe for the financial years 2012-2013
 - b. Expenditure of the Parliamentary Assembly for the financial years 2012-2013 Rapporteur: Mr Erol Aslan Cebeci, Turkey, EPP/CD [AS/EC (2011) 13; AS/EC (2011) 14]
 - Consideration and adoption of draft reports, including a preliminary draft opinion (a) and a preliminary draft resolution (b).

4. Halting the sharp decline in youth employment

Rapporteur: Mrs Marija Pejčinović-Burić, Croatia, EPP/CD [AS/EC (2011) 03 Rev.1]

- Consideration and adoption of a draft report, including a preliminary draft resolution.

This draft agenda, addressed to members of the Committee on Economic Affairs and Development and their alternates, is the convocation to the meeting.

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5. Input for local development: an innovative approach for crisis-stricken regions

Rapporteur: Mr Giuseppe Galati, Italy, EPP/CD [AS/EC (2011) 05 Rev. 1]

- Hearing with:
 - Mr Luigi Vitali, President of the Italian Parliamentary Delegation to the Council of Europe;
 - Mr Domenico Arcuri, Chief Executive Officer of Invitalia (National Development Agency for the Attraction of Foreign Investments);
 - Mr Domenico Bova, Italia Lavoro SpA;
 - Mr Francesco Montera, General Director of Promuovi Italia (National Development Agency for Tourism and Labor);
 - Mr Giuseppe Sala, Managing Director Milan Expo 2015;
 - Mr Gianni Speranza, Mayor of Lamezia Terme;
 - Mrs Wanda Ferro, President of the Province of Catanzaro;
 - Mr Giuseppe Scopelliti, Governor of Calabria Region;
 - Mr Raffaele Fitto, Italian Minister for Regional Development.
- Consideration of a draft report and of a preliminary draft resolution.

6. Underground economy: a threat to democracy, development and the rule of law

Rapporteur: Mr Viktor Pleskachevskiy, Russian Federation, EDG [AS/EC (2011) 04 Rev.2]

- Consideration and adoption of a draft report, including a preliminary draft resolution and a preliminary draft recommendation.

7. More women in economic and social decision-making bodies

Rapporteur for opinion: Mrs Hermine Naghdalyan, Armenia, ALDE [AS/EC (2011) 06; Doc. 12540]

- Consideration and possible adoption of a draft opinion.

8. The activities of the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) in 2010-2011

Rapporteur: Ms Biruté Vésaité, Lithuania, SOC [AS/EC (2011) 08 Rev.]

- Consideration of an introductory memorandum.

9. The impact of the Eastern Partnership of the European Union on governance and economic development in eastern Europe

Rapporteur: Mr Andrea Rigoni, Italy, ALDE [Doc. 12521]

- Consideration of possible amendments.

10. Investing in a low-carbon economy for growth and development

Rapporteur: Mrs Doris Barnett, Germany, SOC [AS/EC (2011) 15]

- Consideration of an outline for a report.

Work programme of the Committee

[AS/EC (2011) 01 Rev.2]

a. Work programme

- Statement by the Chairperson;
- Exchange of views on the work programme.

b. Representation to past and future events

- Statement by the Chairperson.
- Appointment of rapporteurs [Doc. 12524] C.
 - Energy diversification, a common European economic interest [Doc. 12514] for report;
 - Promoting an appropriate policy on tax-havens [Doc. 12516] for report;
 - Measuring the well-being of European citizens [Doc. 12567] for report;
 - Offshore wind farms: an economic and ecological opportunity for Europe [Doc. 12552] for opinion.
- d. Future of the European Centre for Global Independence and Solidarity (North-South Centre) [Doc. 12610; Recommendation 1893 (2009)]
 - Reply from the Committee of Ministers to Recommendation 1893 (2009).

12. Other business

13. **Next meetings**

- Paris, Council of Europe Office (17 June 2011);
- Strasbourg, 3rd part-session 2011 (20-24 June 2011); Strasbourg, 4th part-session 2011 (3-7 October 2011);
- Paris, Council of Europe Office (2 December 2011 to be confirmed).