

SOCIAL ECONOMY INTERGROUP PUBLIC HEARING

Financing Social Economy enterprises: social impact investment and financing mechanisms

Thursday 25 June 2015, from 10:00 to 12:00

European Parliament, room **A1G 2**

Programme:

10:00 – 10:10: Welcome and opening remarks by Jens Nilsson, MEP (S&D, SE), Co-President of the Social Economy Intergroup

10:10 – 11:00: An exchange of views on main EU Commission initiatives to improve the financing of the social economy enterprises: Social Impact Investment, EU Programme for Employment and Social Innovation

Moderator: **Patrizia Toia**, MEP (S&D, IT)

- **Nicolas Schmit**, Minister of Labour, Employment and Social and Solidarity Economy of Luxembourg.
- **Detlef Eckert**, Director for Europe 2020/ Employment Policies, at DG Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion, European Commission.
- **Beatriz Becerra**, MEP (ALDE, ES), Co-President of the Social Economy Intergroup
- **Anna Maria Darmanin**, Member of the EESC (Group II)
- **Hugues Sibille**, Member of the Commission's expert group on social entrepreneurship (GECES), President of "Fondation Crédit Coopératif"

11:00 – 11:30: Financing social economy enterprises: an analysis from the ground

Moderator: **Alain Coheur**, President of Social Economy Europe

- **Jan Olsson**, Vice-President of Social Economy Europe, Co-President of REVES, Västra Götaland Region (Sweden)
- **Emmanuelle Spina**, Head of EU affairs at Federcasse, Coonfcooperative
- **Christophe Ollivier**, Head of "Pôle d'accompagnement des entreprises mutualistes" at Mutualité Française (FNMF), member of the Board of AMICE (Association of Mutual Insurers and Insurance Cooperatives in Europe).
- **Buno Dunkel**, Manager at CoopEst

11:30 – 11:50: Questions and answers

11:50 -12:00: Closing remarks by Patrizia Toia, MEP (S&D, IT)