



**DBR Meeting, Paris**  
**(29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> May 2008)**

## **Programme & Information**



## AGENDA 1/2

Thursday, 29<sup>th</sup> May

**09h00 – 09h30** Registration & Coffee

**09h30 – 10h00** Opening Ceremony (François-Daniel Migeon,  
Director-General of State Modernisation)  
*Room: Bloch Lainé*

**10h00 – 12h30** Workshops

- Ø Measurement & Reduction of Administrative Burdens  
*Room: Bloch Lainé*
- Ø Regional Aspects of Better Regulation  
*Room: Rue*

**12h30 – 13h00** Restitution of Workshops (2x15 min)  
*Room: Bloch Lainé*

**13h00 – 15h00** Lunch (PMF centre)

**14h30 – 15h00** Speech of Mr. Serge Lasvignes,  
the Secretary-General of the French Government  
*Room: Bloch Lainé*

**15h00 – 17h30** Workshops

- Ø Services Directive  
*Room: Rue*
- Ø Access to Legislation  
*Room: Bloch Lainé*

**17h30 – 18h00** Restitution of Workshops (2x15 min)  
*Room: Bloch Lainé*

**18h45 – 19h45** Visit at the *Assemblée nationale*

**20h30 –** Diner on the boat (Bateaux Mouches)

## CONTACTS

### Address of the Meeting

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Unspecified urgency: 112

## WORKSHOPS: FRIDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 09H00-10H45

### Ex Ante Assessment

Chair: Kris Blancke

- ∅ *Introduction of the workshop on Ex Ante Assessment* (Jean-Pierre Balcou, Head of the mission Normative Quality, General Secretariat of French Government)
- ∅ *"How to Identify New Burdensome Legislation from the EU-level - the Danish Experience"* (Eva Meiling, Deputy Director General, Danish Commerce and Companies Agency)
- ∅ *European Issues Regarding Impact Assessment* (Michel Hainque, Contrôle Général Economique et Financier, France)
- ∅ *How to embed Ex Ante Assessment* (Oriël Petry, Assistant Director, Better Regulation Executive, United Kingdom)
- ∅ *The Commission's Approach to Ex Ante Assessment: Priorities and Recent Developments* (Detlev Clemens, Administrator, Better Regulation & Impact Assessment Unit, General Secretariat, European Commission)
- ∅ General Discussion

### Communication & Better Regulation

Chair: Marc Hostert

- ∅ *Communicating Better Regulation: Previous Experience and Perspectives of Development* (Steven Murdoch, Slovenia)
- ∅ *Consultation – the Key to Better Regulation* (Edward Donelan, OECD – SIGMA)
- ∅ *Communication & Consultation with Stakeholders* (Geneviève Pons-Deladrière, Head of Unit B5, DG Enterprise & Industry, European Commission)
- ∅ General Discussion

## AGENDA 2/2

### Friday, 30<sup>th</sup> May

**08h30 – 09h00** Coffee

**09h00 – 10h45** Workshops

- ∅ Ex Ante Assessment  
*Room: 61 Nord 1*
- ∅ Communication & Better Regulation  
*Room: Bloch Lainé*

**11h30 – 12h30** Visit at the *Conseil d'État*

**13h00 – 15h00** Lunch (PMF centre)

**15h00 – 15h30** Restitution of Workshops (2x15 min)  
*Room: Bloch Lainé*

**15h30 – 16h00** Debate on cooperation of networks  
*Room: Bloch Lainé*

**16h00 – 16h15** Presentation of the Czech Presidency  
*Room: Bloch Lainé*

**16h15 – 16h45** Closing Ceremony  
*Room: Bloch Lainé*

## WORKSHOPS: THURSDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 10H00-12H30

### Measurement & Reduction of Administrative Burdens

Chair: Göran Grén

- Ø *The Dutch Programme: Review, Recommendations, Reform and Results* (Jeroen Nijland, Director of Regulatory Reform Group, Ministry of Finance, Netherlands)
- Ø *“Administrative burdens deriving from a policy area: the case of SMEs start up in Greece”* (Efi Stefopoulou, Ministry of the Interior, Greece)
- Ø *UK Small Business Act as a Tool of Simplification* (Andrew Van der Lem, Director, Better Regulation Executive, United Kingdom)
- Ø *The realisation of the European SBA: a theme for the French Presidency* (Agnès Arcier, Director of the Service of Competitiveness & Innovation, DG Entreprises, Ministry of Economy, Finance & Industry, France)
- Ø *The Commission’s Vision of AB Reduction Programme after 2008* (Charles-Henri Montin, national expert, Unit B5, DG Enterprise & Industry, European Commission)
- Ø *Administrative Burdens in Non-EU Countries: a comparison of experiences* (Josef Konvitz, OECD)
- Ø General Discussion

### Regional Aspects of Better Regulation

Chair: Juan Burdiel

- Ø *Inter-institutional Coordination between the German Government and the Länder* (Jochen Gebauer, Germany)
- Ø *Subsidiarity & Better Regulation* (Manuel Santiago Dos Santos, Deputy Head of Unit B5, DG Enterprise & Industry, European Commission)
- Ø General Discussion

## WORKSHOPS: THURSDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 15H00-17H30

### Access to Legislation

Chair: Daniel Trnka

- Ø *A Comprehensive System of Access to Legislation Online : Légifrance* (Jean Maia, Director of the Service of Legislation and Regulatory Quality, General Secretariat of French Government)
- Ø *Integration of Public Legal Databases in Estonia* (Karmen Vilms, Head of Legislative Drafting and Legal Language Division, Ministry of Justice, Estonia)
- Ø General Discussion

### The Services Directive and Better Regulation

Chair: Michael Fruhmam

- Ø *French approach to the Services Directive in the process of simplification* (Sébastien Malangeau, Deputy Head of Mission, Contrôle général économique et financier, & Sébastien Duquenoy, Administrator, Direction générale de la modernisation de l’Etat, Ministry of Finance, France)
- Ø *Mapping the Link between the Services Directive and Better Regulation* (Carole Foulon, Modernisation Correspondent, Ministry of Agriculture and Fishing, and Yannick Lebeau, Modernisation Correspondent, Ministry of Environment, Sustainable Development and Spatial Planning, France)
- Ø *The Link between the Services Directive and Better Regulation* (Malgorzata Kaluzynska, Director of the Department of Analysis & Strategies, Committee for European Integration, Poland)
- Ø General Discussion