

Social Security Co-ordination and Social Security Reforms

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2^{nd} MEETING OF THE REGIONAL STEERING COMMITTEE

2nd December 2008

Hotel Balkan, Belgrade, Serbia

PROGRAMME

Working language: English

TUESDAY, 2 December 2008

09:00 - 09:45	Opening of the meeting
09:00 - 09:15	Welcoming remarks by representatives of the Serbian authorities
09:15 - 09:30	Welcoming remarks by Ms Verena TAYLOR Head of the Social Policy Department, DG III, Council of Europe
09:30 - 09:45	Opening intervention and adoption of the draft agenda Mr Alexander KOSTANYAN, SSCSSR Regional Programme Coordinator
09:45 - 10:30	IPA Social Security Co-ordination and Social Security Reforms
09:45 – 10:15	State of implementation and monitoring process Mr Pascal Herry, DG Enlargement, European Commission
10:15 – 10:30	Comments by the Steering Committee members and discussion
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee break
11:00 - 13:00	SSCSSR Activities
11:00 – 11:10	1 st Regional Summer School on Social Security Coordination Mr Alexander KOSTANYAN, SSCSSR Regional Programme Coordinator
11:10 – 11:20	Regional Seminar on Data Exchange and Social Security Ms Tanja KALOVSKA, Programme Officer, Regional Programme Office
11:20 – 11:30	Speaking days between Bosnia and Herzegovina and Croatia. Mr Alexander KOSTANYAN, SSCSSR Regional Programme Coordinator
11:30 – 11:40	Speaking Days between "the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia" and Bosnia and Herzegovina Ms Tatjana KOSTOVSKA, Programme Officer, Regional Programme Office
11:40 - 13:00	Regional Seminar on Health Care and Regional Seminar on Pensions Dr Prof Paul SCHOUKENS, European Institute of Social Security Dr Prof Danny PIETERS, European Institute of Social Security
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch break
14:00 - 15:00	SSCSSR Activities
14:00 – 14:15	Proposals regarding the organisation of Speaking Days Mr Alexander KOSTANYAN, SSCSSR Programme Coordinator
14:15 – 14:30	Proposals regarding the places and dates of next year's activities Mr Alexander KOSTANYAN, SSCSSR Regional Programme Coordinator
14:30 – 15:00	Comments by the Steering Committee members and discussion
15:00 – 15:30	Coffee break
15:30 - 17:00	Information Update
15:30 – 15:50	Update on the technical and financial procedures of the Council of Europe Ms Verena TAYLOR, Head of the Social Policy Department, DG III, Council of Europe
15:50 – 16:30	Comments by the Steering Committee members and discussion
16:30 – 17:00	Request of information regarding the changes introduced at national level Mr Alexander KOSTANYAN, SSCSSR Programme Coordinator
17:00 – 17:30	Conclusions, any other business, date and place of the next meeting