



Agenda

Peer Review:
The future of Social Services of General Interest

Brussels, 29 May 2007



On behalf of
European Commission
DG Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities

Monday 28th May 2007

Arrival of participants in Brussels

Hotel Bedford, Rue du Midi, 135, B-1000 Brussels, T: +32 2 507 00 00

19:45 Aperitif at Hotel Bedford followed by a

20:30 Dinner hosted by the Federal Administration Social Security
at Hôtel Métropole
Restaurant l'Alban Chambon
Place De Brouckere 31
1000 Brussels

Tuesday 29th May 2007

Venue: Ministry of Social Affairs, Place Victor Horta 40, 1060 Brussels

Chair: representative from Belgian Authorities

09:00 – 09:10 **Welcome and introductory remarks** from Belgian Authorities

09:10 – 09:20 **Introduction** by Ruth PASERMAN, European Commission

09:20 – 09:50 **Introduction** by Manfred HUBER, European Centre

09:50 – 10:10 **Discussion**

First session: Legal issues and competition rules - Presentations by

10:10 – 10:25 Belgium

10:25 – 10:40 Finland

10:40 – 11:10 Discussion

11:10 – 11:30 Coffee break

Second session: Financing of services - Presentations by

11:30 – 11:45 Luxembourg

11:45 – 12:00 Lithuania

12:00 – 12:15 AGE

12:15 – 13:00 Discussion

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch

Third session: Quality of services - Presentations by

14:00 – 14:15 France

14:15 – 14:30 Italy

14:30 – 14:45 Poland

14:45 – 15:00 Caritas

15:00 – 15:15 ESN

15:15 – 16:00 Discussion

16:00 – 16:30 Coffee break

16:30 – 16:45 **Closing remarks by the thematic expert on the day's work – lessons learned and emerging thoughts**

16:45 – 17:00 **Closing remarks** from Belgian Authorities and European Commission, Ruth PASERMAN

17:00 Close