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EU ECONOMIC GOVERNANCE FROM A PARLIAMENTARY PERSPECTIVE

European Semester Conference - Inter-parliamentary Conference on Stability, Economic Coordination and Governance in the EU

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European Parliament and Portuguese Parliament European Parliament, Brussels, 22 February 2021

Times indicated below are in CET

TBC Political Groups meetings

14.45 - 16.45 Opening plenary session: Investing in our climate, social and economic resilience: What are the main policy priorities?

Meeting room: PHS 1A002 + access to virtual room + access to web-streaming

Welcoming remarks by:

- President of the European Parliament (tbc)
- President of the Portuguese Parliament (tbc)

Key speech by:

- 2-3 prominent invited speakers (tbc)

<u>Panel discussion</u>: The preparations of national recovery and resilience plans: where do we stand?

- Introductory statements by 4 Members of National Parliaments (tbc)
- Remarks by the 3 Rapporteurs of the European Parliament on the Recovery and Resilience Facility (tbc)

Moderated/Chaired by XXXX (tbc)

Exchange of views among Members of national Parliaments and Members of the European Parliament.

16.45 - 17.15: Break

Simultaneous part sessions:

17.15 - 18.45: Inter-parliamentary Committee Meetings (in parallel):

(1) Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs (ECON):

Topic: Resilience and Recovery from the COVID-19 crisis: economic and fiscal priorities for investment and reforms

Opening remarks by (tbc)

Exchange of views among Members of national Parliaments and Members of the European Parliament.

Meeting room: PHS 1A002 + access to virtual room + access to web-streaming

(2) Committee on Employment and Social Affairs (EMPL):

Topic: Strengthening and implementing the Social Dimension: How to integrate the Pillar of Social Rights into the recovery and resilience plans?

Opening remarks by (tbc)

Exchange of views among Members of national Parliaments and Members of the European Parliament.

Meeting room: JAN 6Q1 + access to virtual room + access to web-streaming

(3) Committee on Budgets (BUDG):

Topic: The EU budget at the centre of the Recovery Plan. NGEU, MFF and Own Resources: New intersections between the competences of the EP and national parliaments?

Opening remarks by (tbc)

Exchange of views among Members of national Parliaments and Members of the European Parliament.

Meeting room: ASP A5G2 + access to virtual room + access to web-streaming

(4) Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety (ENVI):

Topic: The Recovery and Resilience Plan: synergies between the European Green Deal and the path towards building a more resilient European Health Union

Opening remarks by (tbc)

Exchange of views among Members of national Parliaments and Members of the European Parliament.

Meeting room: ASP A5G3 + access to virtual room + access to web-streaming