



## SINGLE MARKET FORUM 2014

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Sala Polifunzionale, Via Santa Maria in Via, 37 – 00187 Roma (Italy)

#### **AGENDA**

##### **9:30 – 10:00 OPENING SESSION**

- Joaquim Nunes de Almeida, Director, DG Internal market, industry, entrepreneurship and SMEs, European Commission
- Diana Agosti, Head of the Department of the European Policies (Italy)
- Sergio Cofferati, member of the European Parliament, vice-president IMCO Committee

##### **10:00 – 11:00 SESSION 1 – THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PP REFORM – THE ITALIAN APPROACH**

- The principle of the growth and the Internal market rules: the new directives 23 and 24/ 2014.
  - Maurizio Maresca, legal-economic Advisor of the President of the Council of ministers
- The new public procurement package for a new sector strategy: the cooperation with the European Commission and the experience of the working group coordinated by the Department of the European Policies
  - Anna Maria Villa, Department of the European Policies
- The transposition of the new public procurement directives: an opportunity to reform the Public Contracts Code
  - Antonella Manzione, Legislative affairs Department, Presidency of the Council of Ministers
  - Gerardo Mastrandrea, Ministry for Infrastructures and Transport



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## **11:00 – 11:30 COFFEE BREAK**

## **11:30 – 13:00 SESSION 2 – THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NEW DIRECTIVES AND THE REMOVAL OF OBSTACLES TO THE INTERNAL MARKET- THE STAKEHOLDERS' PERSPECTIVE**

- Introduction – Marcella Panucci, Confindustria, Director General
- The academic perspective – Gustavo Piga, University Tor-Vergata, Rome
- The SMEs perspective – Gerhard Huemer, UEAPME
- Discussion panel
  - Stefano de Marinis – Confindustria (moderator)
  - Arnhild Dordi Gjønnnes – Business Europe
  - Ulrich Paetzold – FIEC
  - David Berman – Veolia

## **13:00 – 13:30 Q&A SESSION**

## **13:30 – 14:30 LUNCH BREAK**

## **14:30 – 15:30 SESSION 3 – THE CONTROL SYSTEM IN THE CONTEXT OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE REFORM**

- National level (Italy) – Michele Corradino, Italian anti-corruption authority
- National level (Germany) – Benjamin von Engelhardt, Permanent representation of the Federal Republic of Germany to the EU
- EU level – The Commission monitoring of the correct application of the Directives: beyond the infringement procedures – Silvio Grieco, DG Internal market, industry, entrepreneurship and SMEs, European Commission

## **15:30 – 16:45 SESSION 4 – EFFECTIVE PUBLIC PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NEW ESI FUNDS PROGRAMMING PERIOD 2014-2020**

- European level – Willebrord Sluijters, Head of Unit, DG Regional Policy, European Commission
- National level – Angela D'Alonzo, Agency for National Cohesion (Italy)
- Discussion panel
  - Ewa Świątkowska, Ministry of Infrastructure and Development, Poland
  - José María Piñero Campos, Director general EU Funds department, Spain
  - Irina Giorgiana Radu, Ministry for EU Funds, Romania

## **16:45 – 17:00 CLOSING SESSION**

- Sandro Gozi, Italian secretary of State for EU policies (tbc)