



# Sächsischer Landtag

## **Agenda** for the external session of the Committee on European Affairs of the Saxon Regional Parliament on 29 and 30 May 2017 in Brussels

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### **Europäischer Ausschuss der Regionen**

Conference Room: JDE 53

#### **Monday, 29 May 2017:**

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| 09:30 | Welcome by<br><br><b>Mr Karl-Heinz Lambertz</b><br>First Vice President of the Committee of the Regions<br><br>and presentation of the CoR political priorities 2015-2020                     |
| 10:15 | Coffee Break  |
| 10:30 | Briefing on COREPER 2 topics by<br><br><b>H. E. Mr Reinhard Silberberg</b><br>Permanent Representative of the Federal Republic of Germany<br>to the European Union                            |
| 11:30 | Break (opportunity for lunch in the CoR Canteen)  |
| 13:00 | Presentation of the program for Estonia's Presidency of the EU<br>Council by<br><br><b>Mrs Marika Linntam</b><br>Antici of the Permanent Representation of Estonia to the Euro-<br>pean Union |
| 14:00 | Coffee break  |
| 14:30 | Discussion on the future of the Economic and Monetary Union,<br>the European Deposit Insurance Scheme and the impact of the   |

EU capital requirements on savings banks and development banks with

**Mr Ralph Müller**

Head of the Finance Department of the Permanent Representation of the Federal Republic of Germany

and

**Mr Georg J. Huber**

Head of Brussels Representation of the German Savings Banks Association

15:30 Coffee break

16:00 Discussion on the reform of the Common European Asylum System with

**Mr Matthias Oel**

Director for Migration and Security Funds, DG HOME of the European Commission

17:00 Coffee break

17:30 Discussion on the European Pillar for social rights with

**Mr Georg Fischer**

Director for Social Affairs, DG EMPL of the European Commission

18:30 End of the session (day 1)

**Tuesday, 30 May 2017:**

09:30 Discussion on the Commission's Service Package with

**Mr Carsten Bermig**

Member of Cabinet of Commissioner Elżbieta Bieńkowska

10:30 Coffee break

11:00 Discussion about "EU Trade Policy – A Brussels perspective on the German debate" with

**Mr Christian Burgsmüller**

Member of Cabinet of Commissioner Cecilia Malmström

12:00 Break (opportunity for lunch in the CoR Canteen)

13:30 Discussion about „The European Union facing the British withdrawal" with

**Mr David McAllister**

Member of the European Parliament  
Chairman of the EP Committee on Foreign Affairs

14:30	Coffee break
15:00	<p>Discussion on Industry 4.0 and the role of the regions with</p> <p><b>Mr Reinhard Bütikofer</b>  Member of the European Parliament  Rapporteur on European Industrial Policy</p>
16:00	Break
16:30	<p>Discussion on “The future of Cohesion Policy 2020 and beyond” with</p> <p><b>Mrs Constanze Krehl</b>  Member of the European Parliament  Coordinator of the S&amp;D Political Group in the EP Committee on Regional Development</p>
17:30	Evaluation of the session
18:00	End of the session (day 2)