Implementing the European Social Pillar: The Role of Churches and Religions

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15:00 > 18:00 @ PHS 5B01

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Introductory remarks
15:00 - 15:30  Mairead McGuinness
First Vice-President of the European Parliament,
Responsible for the Parliament’s implementation of Article 17 TFEU
Luca Jahier
President of the European Economic and Social Committee

15:30 - 15:50 Questions and Answers: General discussion

Panel 1: Human dignity in work

Chair  Enrique Calvet Chambon
MEP, Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

15:50 - 16:30  Ms Shannon Pfohman
Policy and Advocacy Director, Caritas Europa
Metropolitan Ignatios of Demetrias and Almyros
Church of Greece
Mr Nedzhmi Dabov
Mufti of the Smolyan region, Bulgaria

16:30 - 16:50 Questions and Answers: General discussion

Panel 2: Fostering an inclusive and caring European society

Chair  Georgi Pirinski
MEP, Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

16:50 - 17:30  Rev Daniel Topalski
Superintendent, United Methodist Church Central and Southern Europe
Riccardo Di Segni
Chief Rabbi of Rome
Birgitte Brekke-Clifton
Commissioner, International Secretary for Programme Resources,
The Salvation Army

17:30 - 17:50 Questions and Answers: General discussion

Concluding remarks
17:50 - 18:00  Mairead McGuinness
Vice-President of the European Parliament,
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Antonio Tajani
President of the European Parliament

Reception
18:00  Reception - Paul-Henri Spaak Building (PHS) 5th floor open space