



Visit of Johannes Hahn to the Ionian Islands

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On 4 November 2013, Johannes Hahn, Member of the EC in charge of Regional Policy, began the fourth leg of a 13 Region tour in Greece on the island of Corfu. On this occasion, he met with Spyros Spyrou, Governor of Ionian Islands region, representatives of local authorities, Chambers of Commerce, business associations and visited an array of projects including construction road works and a solid waste management landfill.

Only the original language version is authentic and it prevails in the event of its differing from the translated versions.



TIME	DESCRIPTION	DURATION
10:00:00	Title	00:00:05
10:00:05	Exterior view of the building housing the Region of Ionian Islands in Corfu, Greece	00:00:03
10:00:08	Handshake between Johannes Hahn, Member of the EC in charge of Regional Policy, and Spyros Spyrou, Governor of Ionian Islands region	00:00:03
10:00:12	Round table With Johannes Hahn and Spyros Spyrou	00:00:03
10:00:16	Arrival of Johannes Hahn at the amphitheater of the Ionian University to meet with representatives of local authorities, chambers of commerce and business associations	00:00:03
10:00:19	Johannes Hahn greeting people	00:00:03
10:00:23	General view of the audience	00:00:07
10:00:30	General view of the speakers	00:00:04
10:00:35	General view of the conference room	00:00:04
10:00:39	Arrival of Johannes Hahn at Europe Direct	00:00:03
10:00:42	General view of the speakers	00:00:03

10:00:46	Soundbite by Johannes Hahn (in ENGLISH): People have seen the contributions by the Greek people to improve the situation. I know it is difficult to ask for further patience to everybody, but this is still something necessary. We are still not there, where we would like to be, but I have the feeling that the government is extremely committed, the governors are extremely committed.	00:00:30
10:01:16	Cutaway of journalists	00:00:03
10:01:20	Johannes Hahn giving a speech	00:00:05
10:01:26	Johannes Hahn walking along the construction of a bypass road at the Corfu Airport	00:00:04
10:01:30	Johannes Hahn and Spyros Spyrou	00:00:04
10:01:35	Johannes Hahn with the NSRF logo in the background	00:00:04
10:01:39	Johannes Hahn looking at the map (2 shots)	00:00:07
10:01:47	General view of the construction of a bypass road at Corfu Airport	00:00:03
10:01:50	Arrival of Johannes Hahn at Temploni landfill in Corfu (3 shots)	00:00:10
10:02:01	Soundbite by Johannes Hahn (in ENGLISH): It is apparently a huge problem because we have been discussing it for decades, not only for years but for many years and it is still, in my view, not yet properly solved because we have still a lot of illegal landfills.	00:00:16
10:02:18	Cutaway of trucks	00:00:03
10:02:21	Soundbite by Johannes Hahn (in ENGLISH): A region like the Ionian Islands which depends a lot on tourism is depending on a clean environment because more and more people spending their holidays in a certain area are asking is this area responsible to the environment?	00:00:22
10:02:43	Cutaway of a bulldozer	00:00:05
10:02:49	Soundbite by Johannes Hahn (in ENGLISH): There will be fines because Greece has repeatedly not respected any deadlines, and therefore it is very likely that there will be fines.	00:00:10
10:02:59	Johannes Hahn being briefed (2 shots)	00:00:06
10:03:06	Johannes Hahn walking in the premises of the Temploni landfill	00:00:04

