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## Final plenary meeting of the 'Licences for Europe' stakeholder dialogue: statement by Androulla Vassiliou

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On 13 November 2013, Androulla Vassiliou, Member of the EC in charge of Education, Culture, Multilingualism and Youth, made a statement on the occasion of the final plenary meeting of the "Licences for Europe" stakeholder dialogue. "Licences for Europe" is a stakeholder dialogue in the area of digital content launched by the European Commission in February 2013. Its objective is to foster practical industry-led initiatives to bring more copyright-protected content online in the Digital Single Market. The dialogue was jointly led by Androulla Vassiliou, Neelie Kroes, Vice-President of the EC in charge of the Digital Agenda, and Michel Barnier, Member of the EC in charge of Internal Market and Services.



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00:00:00	Title	00:00:05
00:00:05	SOUNDBITE by Androulla Vassiliou, Member of the EC in charge of Education, Culture, Multilingualism and Youth, (in ENGLISH): I welcome the pledges presented by stakeholders today and look forward to seeing them taking shape in the near future; through "Licences for Europe", we have achieved practical solutions which will provide greater certainty for rights-holders, a better deal for the public and more cultural diversity online; "Licences for Europe" has allowed us to better understand the reality of the digital market in Europe; its outcomes will feed into our on-going review of the legislative framework; we are actively pursuing our analysis and we will take a decision on the best way forward during the first part of 2014.	00:00:48

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