

**CALL FOR APPLICATIONS**  
**REGARDING COMMISSION DECISION OF 16 MAY 2006**  
**SETTING UP AN EXPERT GROUP ON CUSTOMER MOBILITY**  
**IN RELATION TO BANK ACCOUNTS**

By decision of 16 May 2006, the Commission has set up an expert group on customer mobility in relation to bank accounts. The task of this group of experts will be to identify any obstacles to customer mobility in relation to bank accounts and advise the Commission on how these obstacles should be addressed.

The Commission is therefore calling for applications with a view to listing candidates to make up the group of experts.

The group of experts shall consist of individuals with recent experience or expertise in the issues covered by the attached terms of reference. The experts shall be selected according to the procedure and criteria set out in the terms of reference.

The duly signed applications must be sent in writing either to:

[MARKT-H3@ec.europa.eu](mailto:MARKT-H3@ec.europa.eu)

or

European Commission  
DG Internal Market and Services  
Unit H3 – Retail Issues, Consumer Policy and Payment Systems  
Office C107 01/05  
BE-1049 Brussels

The letter must state how the candidates proposed by European or national associations, representing customers or industry interests, or individuals with academic background fulfil the criteria set out in the attached terms of reference. The professional experience and expertise of all candidates should be documented in full by means of curriculum vitae and material demonstrating that they meet the criteria.

The applications must be sent by 16 June 2006.

The list of members of the expert group on customer mobility in relation to bank accounts will be published on the Internet site of DG Internal Market and Services in accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EC) No 45/2001<sup>1</sup>.

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<sup>1</sup> Regulation (EC) No 45/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2000 on the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of personal data by the Community institutions and bodies and on the free movement of such data (OJ L 8 of 12.1.2001, p. 1).