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Awareness raising and networking activities on the Guide "Buying Social – A Guide to taking Account of Social Considerations in Public Procurement"

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Agenda

9.00 – 9.30	Registration of participants
9.30 – 9.35	Welcome by a representative of the European Commission, Direction General Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion
9.35 – 10.00	Introduction to the agenda and purpose of the day
10.00 – 10.20	The strategic EU context for "Buying social" in public procurement
10.20 – 10.30	Q&A
10.30 – 11.00	Coffee Break
11.00 – 11.45	Presentation on: "Buying Social – a Guide to taking account of Social Considerations in Public Procurement"
11.45 – 12.00	Q&A
12.00 – 12.15	Presentation of two fictional case studies – I
12.15 – 13.15	Group work on the two case studies for socially responsible public procurement – the legal implications
13.15 – 14.15	*LUNCH*
14.15 – 15.00	Presentation of working groups and discussion
15.00 – 15.15	Monitoring & Reporting: Introduction into group work on case studies – II
15.15 – 16.15	Group work on the two case studies for socially responsible public procurement – using the guide in strategy, target setting, monitoring and reporting
16.15 – 16.45	Coffee Break
16.45 – 17.45	Feedback to the plenary and general discussion of open questions
17.45 – 18.00	Review of participants' expectations and feedback.
18.00	Closure of day

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