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Operational conclusions

30th Meeting of the Heads of PES
18-19 June 2012, Copenhagen, Denmark

ITEM 3. Europe 2020 Update on European Semester and country-specific recommendations

- COM will draft proposals how to adapt the working method of the Heads of PES network – in terms of scheduling of network meetings and using existing working groups and the PES-to-PES dialogue - to better contribute to the European Semester. The COM proposals will first be discussed by the PES Assistants; Heads of PES should then take a decision at their next meeting in Cyprus.

ITEM 4. Key findings of survey 'PES Adjustment to the crisis' in the current EU labour market situation

- COM will send to the network a short questionnaire with questions related to the practical implementation of youth guarantees in order to prepare for the Commission proposal relating to a Council recommendation on Youth Guarantees and activation measures targeting young people in the context of Youth Guarantees scheduled for December 2012.

ITEM 6. Report from PES Working Group Europe 2020 - Key findings of survey of 'ESF-project PES 2020'

- PES are invited to discuss internally and with their stakeholders the PES 2020 Strategy Output Paper and its implementation within PES represented in the network. PES will report back on these discussions at the next Heads of PES meeting.
- COM will put in place a virtual network for the Heads of PES in order to further facilitate focused discussions and more systematic exchange of strategic information in real time (possibly a protected shared space).

ITEM 8. Workshop 1: Evidence Based Policy and Strategy Development, Workshop 2: Online services – how to best balance between self-help and face-to-face services

- The conclusions of the workshops will be drafted by the rapporteurs and then sent to the network. PES are invited to provide feedback – lessons learned from the workshops – to the workshop promoters (workshop 1: DK/FR, workshop 2: EN/NL).

Any other business

- PES are invited to send to lambert.kleinmann@ec.europa.eu asap but latest before the next PES Assistants meeting the thematic proposals of the Heads of PES for the workshops at the next Heads of PES meeting in Cyprus.
- PES are invited to send their best practice contributions for the PES WG Efficiency no later than 27 July 2012 to lambert.kleinmann@ec.europa.eu (details see ITEM 0 info note HOPES Copenhagen)
- PES are invited to nominate a contact point for liaising/submitting practices for WEESP (Webtool of Evaluated Employment Services Practices) to gregorio.de-castro@ec.europa.eu no later than 6 July 2012 (details see ITEM 0 info note HOPES Copenhagen).
- PES are asked to send in proposals for topics for the 3rd Year of the PES to PES Dialogue to susanne.kraatz@ec.europa.eu no later than 30 June 2012 (details see ITEM 0 info note HOPES Copenhagen).
