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**Nineteenth meeting of the EQF Advisory Group
13-14 March 2013**

Draft agenda

Wednesday 13 March

Venue: Dublin Castle

15:00 – 15:30 **Welcome and introductions**

Adoption of the agenda

**Adoption of the minutes and action
points of the meeting of the EQF
Advisory Group on 5-6 February 2013**

Draft minutes and action
points

**1. – Relevant developments in
European cooperation in the field of
education and training**

Information on latest developments and
follow-up to the meeting of the EQF AG
on 5-6 February 2012

Note AG19-1

Information on developments in the
Copenhagen and Bologna Processes

15:30 – 15:45 **2. – Overview of national
developments related to the
implementation of the EQF**

Note AG19-2

Tour de table

- 15:45 – 16:30 **3. – Peer learning activities supporting EQF Implementation**
- Report from a PLA on including qualifications from outside formal education and training systems into NQFs , 28 February – 1 March 2013, Vasteras, Sweden Note AG19-3
- Outline of the Cedefop study on learning outcomes Note AG19-4
- 16:30 – 17:30 **4. – Presentation of the main findings of the external study on the evaluation of the EQF**
- 19:30 **Dinner**

Thursday 14 March

Venue: Hotel Hilton

- 09:30 – 11:00 **5. – Presentation and discussion of the referencing report of Bulgaria** draft Report on Referencing the National Qualifications Framework of the Republic of Bulgaria to the European Qualifications Framework for Lifelong Learning and to the Qualifications Framework for the European Higher Education Area.
- 11:00 – 12:00 **6. – Follow-up to the conclusions of the Irish Presidency conference on "Quality Assurance in Qualifications Frameworks" on 12-13 March 2013 in Dublin**
Discussion on how to address conclusions relevant for the EQF Advisory Group
- 12:00 – 13:00 **Lunch**
- 13:00 – 14:20 **7. – Recommendation on the validation of non-formal and informal learning**
Proposal for the structure of the national reports on the implementation of the Council Recommendation on validation of non-formal and informal learning Note AG19-5
Discussion
Information on the update of the Inventory on the validation of non-formal and informal learning 2014
Information on the Stakeholders Seminar on the implementation of the Council Recommendation on the validation of non-formal and informal learning, 9-10 April 2013

14:20 – 14:45 **Conclusions and AOB**