



Register of Expert Groups and Other Similar Entities

Commission Expert Group

Name: Network of SME Envoys (E02666)
(Active - Group which operates on a permanent basis)

Policy Area: Enterprise
Internal Market
Other

Lead DG: GROW - DG Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs

Type: Informal, Permanent

Scope: Limited

Mission: The mission of the Network of SME Envoys is to ensure : * implementation of the Small Business Act for Europe (SBA) and its Review by the Member States * presentation to the European Commission of progress at national level * exchange of best practices in SBA implementation * discussion of future initiatives and key deliverables in SME policy at EU and Member State level. Meetings will be held regularly with representatives of EU SME business organisations, to enable an improved dialogue between stakeholders and to benefit from input from the business community into the governance process.

Task: Coordinates with Member States, exchange of views

Composition: National Administrations

Publication in RegExp: 06 Jul 2011

Link to Website: <http://ec.europa.eu/enterprise/policies/sme/small-business-act/sme-envoy/>

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Additional Information

Activity Report

20-Mar-2015 Meeting in Paris

Activity Report

25/26-Nov-2014 Meeting in Brussels (jointly with EPG)

[Document 1](#)

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[Document 2](#)

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[Document 3](#)

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Activity Report

3-Oct-2014 Meeting in Naples (SME Assembly)

[Document 1](#)

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[Document 2](#)

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[Document 3](#)

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[Document 4](#)

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Activity Report

6-Jun-2014 Meeting in Madrid

[Document 1](#)

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[Document 3](#)

(approx. 606 kb)

Activity Report

11-Mar-2014 Meeting in Munich

[Document 1](#)

(approx. 84 kb)

[Document 2](#)

(approx. 98 kb)

Activity Report

26-Nov-2013 Meeting in Vilnius

[Document 1](#)

(approx. 83 kb)

Activity Report

11-June-2013 Meeting in Brussels

[Document 1](#)

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Activity Report

08-Feb-2013 Meeting in Bologna

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Activity Report

15-Nov-2012 Meeting in Nicosia

[Document 1](#)

(approx. 1,380 kb)

Activity Report

15-Jun-2012 Meeting in Malta

[Document 1](#)

(approx. 79 kb)

Selection Procedure (members)

Business organisations are invited as observers and are represented by their top-level management

Selection Procedure (members)

The members of this group are the national SME Envoys of the Member States, nominated by the national governments at the request of Vice-President Tajani following the adoption of the SBA Review (and endorsement in Competitiveness Council Conclusions of May 2011). Together with representatives of EU SME business organisations, the Network of SME Envoys forms an SBA advisory group.

http://ec.europa.eu/enterprise/policies/sme/small-business-a-ct/sme-envoy/index_en.htm

Internal Rules of Procedure

Role of the Network of SME Envoys

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<http://ec.europa.eu/transparency/regexpert/index.cfm?do=groupDetail.groupDetail&groupID=2666>

[Document 1](#)
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Other

Annual Report 2013
[Document 1](#)
(approx. 6,408 kb)

Other

Annual Report 2012
[Document 1](#)
(approx. 299 kb)

Other

Workplan of SME Envoys
[Document 1](#)
(approx. 59 kb)

Members

Organisation

Name of Organisation	Category	Countries/Areas represented	Membership Status
BusinessEurope	Association	European	Observer
Cooperatives Europe	Association	European	Observer
Cooperatives Europe / CECOP	Association	European	Observer
ESBA European Small Business Alliance	Association	European	Observer
Eurada	Association	European	Observer
Eurochambres	Association	European	Observer
EuroCommerce	Association	European	Observer
European Family Businesses	Association	European	Observer
JADE (European Confederation of Junior Enterprises)	Association	European	Observer
UEAPME - European Association of Craft, Small and Medium-sized Enterprises	Association	European	Observer
YES for Europe	Association	European	Observer
ZDH	Association	European	Observer

National administrations

Country		Membership Status
Austria	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Belgium	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Bulgaria	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Croatia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Cyprus	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Czech Republic	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Denmark	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Estonia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Finland	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
France	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Germany	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Greece	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Hungary	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Ireland	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Italy	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Latvia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Lithuania	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Luxembourg	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Malta	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Netherlands	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Poland	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member

Portugal	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Romania	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Slovakia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Slovenia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Spain	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Sweden	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
United Kingdom	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member

Subgroups

No Subgroups assigned to this group.

Statistics

Number of Members: 28

Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Individual expert appointed as representative of an interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Organisation:	0		
National administrations:	28		

Number of Alternate Members: 0

Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Individual expert appointed as representative of an interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Organisation:	0		
National administrations:	0		

Number of Observers: 12

Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Individual expert appointed as representative of an interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Organisation:	12		
National administrations:	0		