Contact Persons Meeting of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (EGF)

Thursday 28 November 2019
Hilton Grand Place Hotel, Brussels

AGENDA

9:00 – 9:30  Registration of participants and welcome coffee

9:30 – 10:10

1. Introduction and adoption of the agenda by Ms Fabienne Levy, Head of Unit “EGF and Shared Management”, DG EMPL

2. Update on EGF since the last Contact Persons meeting
   • Final reports and closures
   • Recoveries
   • Applications received – the Belgian Carrefour case
   • Applications planned (tour de table)

3. SFC developments and Member States feedback

4. EGF ex-post evaluation for the 2014-2020 programming period

10:10 – 11:00  Presentation by Michael Grosse DG EMPL/F1. 
Simplified cost options (SCO) - basic concepts and experiences from the ESF. Discussion on how/if to apply SCOs within the (future) EGF. Q&A

11:00 – 11:30  Coffee break
11:30 – 12:00  Presentation by John Hurley, EUROFOUND

*Shifts in the employment structure, 2002-2017, at the regional level in nine EU Member States.*

Q&A

12:00 – 12:50

5. Amendment to the current EGF regulation with regard to no-deal Brexit
6. EGF post-2020 regulation - update on the latest developments
7. Update of the FAQs - an overview of the changes

8. Communication
   - EC communication updates
   - Member State communication activities

9. Forthcoming EGF related events
   - Next EGF Contact Persons meeting and Networking Seminar
   - Update on EGF related events planned in the Member States

10. Any other business

12:50 – 14:00  Lunch at the Hilton’s restaurant