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**4th  
Joint Parliamentary Meeting  
on the Lisbon Strategy**

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Monday 11 and  
Tuesday 12 February 2008

European Parliament - Brussels  
Paul-Henri Spaak Building - Hemicycle

## 11 February 2008

From 10.00hrs **Arrival of MPs and MEPs - Reception and registration area at the entrance hall of the Altiero-Spinelli-Building (ASP)**

11.00-15.00hrs **Meeting of the political groups with Members of National Parliaments**

(separate invitations from the political groups)

**Plenary Meeting** - *Meeting room: Hemicycle (Paul-Henri Spaak building)*

Representative of Mr Hans-Gert Pöttering, President of the European Parliament

*Mr. France CUKJATI President of the Slovenian National Assembly*

15.00-15.15 hrs **Opening of the Joint Parliamentary Meeting**

Mr France CUKJATI, President of the Slovenian National Assembly and

Representative of Mr Hans-Gert Pöttering, President of the European Parliament

15.15 - 15.45 hrs **Presentation of the Position of the European Commission on the Lisbon Strategy**

Representative of the European Commission (tbc)

15.45 -16.15 hrs **Presentation of the EP draft resolution on the Lisbon Strategy and Slovenian Lisbon Strategy implementation**

**Mr Klaus-Heiner LEHNE MEP, co-rapporteur  
Ms Rebecca HARMS MEP, co-rapporteur and  
Mr/Ms ....., Slovenian Representative**

16.15 - 16h45 **Statements by Political Groups**

17.00 - 19.00 hrs

## **Working Groups**

### **1st Working Group**

#### **Internal Market and Strategies-Research& Development: Responses to Globalisation**

*Meeting room: ASP 5-G3*

Co-Chairs:

- MEP Edit HERCZOG (PSE)
- Portuguese MP (PSE)

Rapporteur:

- Malcolm HARBOUR (PPE-DE)

Guest speaker:

Victoria Curzon-Price, Professor University of Genève

### **2nd Working Group**

#### **Investment in People and Labour Market**

*Meeting room: PHS 1A002*

Co-Chairs:

- MEP (PSE)
- Stanislav BRENCIC (EPP - ED)

Rapporteur:

- Ilda FIGUEIREDO, MEP (GUE/NGL)

Guest speaker:

Dr. Lei Delsen, Radboud University of Nijmegen

### **3rd Working Group**

#### **Measuring Progress and Monitoring Lisbon**

*Meeting room: PHS 3C050*

Co-Chairs:

- Bilyana Ilieva RAEVA, MEP (ALDE)
- French MP (PPE - ED)

Rapporteur:

- Franc HORVAT, Slovenian MP (PSE)

Guest speaker:

1. Maria Joao Rodrigues, Professor, ISCTE, Higher Institute of Social Sciences and Business Studies, Lisbon (tbc)

19.30 hrs **Cocktail, followed by a dinner hosted by the President of the European Parliament**

*Members' Restaurant, ASP-building, ground floor*

Guest speaker:

Joseph Stiglitz, Professor of Economics at the Columbia University (tbc)

## **12 February 2008**

**Plenary Meeting** - *Meeting room: Hemicycle*

*Co-chaired by Mrs or Mr....., Representative of the President of the European Parliament Hans-Gert Pöttering, and Mr. France CUKJATI President of the Slovenian National Assembly*

- 09.30-10.00hrs **Presentation of reports of the working groups**  
WG 1: Malcolm Harbour, MEP (EPP-ED)  
WG 2: Ilda FIGUEIREDO, MEP (GUE/NGL)  
WG 3: Feri HORVAT, Slovenian MP (PSE)
- 10.00-10.30hrs **Statements by the Slovenian Council EU Presidency and the European Commission**  
  
Mr Žiga TURK, Minister, Government Office for Growth  
  
Mr. Jose Manuel BARROSO, President of the European Commission (TBC)
- 10.30 - 12.30hrs **General debate with the participation of the Slovenian Council Presidency and the President of the European Commission**
- 12.30hrs **Concluding remarks by the President of the Slovenian National Assembly and the President of the European Parliament**  
Mr France CUKJATI of the Slovenian National Assembly, and Representative of Mr Hans-Gert Pöttering, President of the European Parliament