

PROGRAMME

Round-table

Services Standards: an opportunity for businesses?

2 December 2016

SBS premises, rue Jacques de Lalaing 4, B-1040 Brussels

9.00 – 9.30 **Welcome coffee and registration**

9.30 – 9.40 **Opening remarks**

- Christel Davidson, Director, SBS

9.40 – 10.15 **Setting the scene**

- Paulina Gbur, Policy Officer, Business-to-Business Services, DG for Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs, European Commission
- Maitane Olabarria Uzquiano, Programme Manager, Sustainability & Services, CEN and CENELEC

10.15 – 11.15 **Tour de Table – Overview of developments on services standards in a specific sector**

Confirmed participation of the following sectors : Construction, consumer, cosmetics, crafts, ICT, hotel and catering, textile

11.15 – 12.00 **Discussion**

12.00 – 12.15 **Concluding remarks**

- Luc Hendrickx, Director, Competitiveness of Enterprises, Enterprises Policy, UEAPME

Lunch

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