



CONFERENCE

THE FURNITURE INDUSTRY ACQUIS COMMUNAUTAIRE TRANSFER – PART II (FACTSII) PROJECT

Thursday 2 of April, 2009

Zagreb, Croatia

Morning session

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| 10.30 – 11.00 | Registration of participants |
| 11.00 – 11.05 | Opening speech by Mr. Dario Puljiz – HUP president - Wood & Furniture association |
| 11.05 – 11.10 | Opening speech by Mr. Martin Cudka – UEA president |
| 11.10 – 11.30 | Challenges for the EU & Croatian furniture industries – Mr. Bart De Turck – UEA – European Furniture Manufacturers Federation |
| 11.30– 12.00 | In-depth compliance auditing activities in new member states - Mr. Roger Mason – BFM – British Furniture Manufacturers Federation |
| 12.00 – 12.20 | Current health & safety research, measures & practices in the British furniture industry – Mr. Adam Mason - BFM |
| 12.20 – 12.35 | <i>Coffee break</i> |
| 12.35 – 13.00 | Forest certification schemes & illegal logging / Forest Law Enforcement, Governance & Trade – FLEGT - Mr. André De Boer - VVNH & Mr. Guillaume Daelmans – UCBD |
| 13.00 – 13.20 | New product development strategy: options for creation & protection – Mr. Pavlos Kimtsaris – UEA - European Furniture Manufacturers Federation |
| 13.20 – 13.40 | How to access to funding to develop innovation-related projects for the furniture industry – Mr. Audoin de Gouvion St Cyr – UNIFA |
| 13.40 – 14.00 | Questions & Answers |

Interpretation is available in two languages: Croatian & English

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