



## MEETING OF THE CEMECE SOCIAL AFFAIRS COMMISSION

**2 June 2017**

CEMECE Secretariat, Square de Meeûs 19, 1050 Brussels

### AGENDA

**10.00 Welcome and presentation of the agenda**

By H. E. Gianni Ambrosio, Bishop of Piacenza-Bobbio, Vice President of COMECE and President of the COMECE Social Affairs Commission

**10.20 Roundtable – is Europe economically up to the challenges of globalisation?**

Experiences and observations from the national level on the public perception of EU economic and social policy

**11.00 European Pillar of Social Rights – a fresh start for a Europe growing together?**

Discussion with Maarten Claeys, Parliamentary Assistant to MEP Tom Vandenkendelaere, (European People's Party), Shadow rapporteur on the resolution on a European Pillar of Social Rights  
Q&A

*12.00 Lunch break*

**13.00 Economic and Monetary Union – which steps are needed for a strong Euro?**

Discussion with Kai Wynands, Head of Cabinet of Valdis Dombrovskis, Vice-President for the Euro and Social Dialogue, European Commission  
Q&A

**14.00 Solidarity Corps – which role for Church actors?**

Presentation by Max Uebe, Head of Unit Employment Strategy, DG EMPL, European Commission  
Q&A

*14.45 Coffee break*

**15.00 Follow-up discussion**

*15.45 Closing*