



Public hearing

European Economic and Social Committee

The extension of the duration of the European Fund for Strategic Investment (EFSI 2.0)

10 NOVEMBER 2016 | EESC | JDE51
Jacques Delors Building | Rue Belliard 99 | Brussels

PROGRAMME

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9.15 a.m. Registration of participants

10 a.m. Welcome and introduction

- **Joost van Iersel**, President of the Section for Economic and Monetary Union and Economic and Social Cohesion (ECO), European Economic and Social Committee (EESC)
- **Alberto Mazzola**, Rapporteur for the EESC opinion on the Extension of the duration of the EFSI, EESC

Institutional prospective

- **Florentine Hopmeier**, Team leader for the Investment Plan for Europe, DG ECFIN, European Commission
- **Matthieu Bertrand**, EFSI Senior Mandate Manager, European Investment Bank (EIB)
- **Wim van de Donk**, Rapporteur, Committee of the Regions (CoR)

The views of the stakeholders: Evaluating the success and future prospects of the EFSI

- **Matthieu Méaulle**, Adviser, European Trade Union Confederation (ETUC)
- **Joana Valente**, Senior adviser and strategy coordinator, Business Europe
- **Rick Watson**, Managing Director, Association for Financial Markets in Europe (AFME)
- **Gerhard Huemer**, Director of Economic and Fiscal Policy, European Association of Craft, Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises (UEAPME)

The EESC draft opinion on Extension of the duration of the EFSI (EFSI 2.0)

- **Alberto Mazzola**, Rapporteur for the EESC opinion on the Extension of the duration of the EFSI, EESC

Debate

Conclusions

- **Alberto Mazzola**, Rapporteur for the EESC opinion on the Extension of the duration of the EFSI, EESC

1 p.m. End of hearing

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