

Public Hearing
Preliminary findings of the Business Insurance sector inquiry
9 February 2007

Charlemagne building, Room S-3 (rue de la Loi 170, 1049 Brussels)

- 10.00 Opening address by Neelie Kroes, Commissioner for Competition
- 10.15 Presentation of preliminary findings of the sector inquiry
- 10.45 *Coffee break*

Part I. Horizontal cooperation

- 11.15 Panel chaired by Cecilio Madero Villarejo, Director, DG Competition
- Gérard de la Martinière, President CEA (Comité européen des assurances)
 - Fabio Maniori, Chief Legal Officer, Generali Group
 - Werner Görg, CEO Gothaer Insurance
 - Ralf Oelßner, Chairman DVS e.V. (Deutscher Versicherungs-Schutzverband)
- Questions from the public
- 12.45 Thomas Steffen, Vice Chairman CEIOPS (Committee of European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Supervisors):
Insurance Supervision: interaction between regulation and competition policy
- 13.00 *Lunch break*

Part II. Distribution

- 14.30 Panel chaired by Philip Lowe, Director-General DG Competition
- David Harari, Chairman BIPAR (Bureau international des producteurs d'assurances et de réassurances/European Federation of Insurance Intermediaries)
 - Thierry van Santen, Director, FERMA (Federation of European Risk Management Associations)
 - Luc Hendrickx, Director, UEAPME (Union européenne de l'artisanat et des petites et moyennes entreprises)
 - Tomasz Mintoft-Czyż, President PIU (Polska Izba Ubezpieczeń/Polish Chamber of Insurance)
 - Richard Bucknall, Vice Chairman Willis Group, Chairman Willis Limited
 - Vincent Derudder, Secretary General FCI (Fédération européenne des conseils et intermédiaires financiers)
- Questions from the public
- 16:30 Closing remarks by Philip Lowe
- 16:45 End of hearing