



TAX3

Special Committee on Financial Crimes, Tax Evasion and Tax Avoidance

PUBLIC HEARING

THE THIRD COUNTRY DIMENSION IN THE FIGHT AGAINST TAX CRIMES, TAX EVASION AND TAX AVOIDANCE

26 SEPTEMBER 2018

15.00 – 18.30

Room: **Altiero Spinelli (ASP) A5G2**

DRAFT PROGRAMME

15.00-15.05 **Welcome by the TAX3 Chair**

15.05-16.30 **Panel 1: Risks in the field of tax policy associated with Brexit**

- **How Brexit will affect issues that already exist with tax and financial policy of certain Crown Dependencies?**
- **Possible solutions to the EU-UK tax relations as a result of Brexit**

- Presentation by Ms **Margaret Hodge**, Member of UK Parliament
- Presentation by Ms **Tove Ryding**, Policy and Advocacy Manager, Eurodad

Discussion with TAX3 Members



16.30- 18.25 Panel 2: Lessons to be taken from EU-third countries agreements

- **How can bilateral tax treaties and trade agreements facilitate the fight against illicit financial flows and tax evasion?**
- **Impact of EU-third countries agreements on developing countries**

- Presentation by Ms **Sandra Gallina**, Deputy Director General of DG TRADE, European Commission
- Presentation by Ms **Hannah Brejnholt Tranberg**, Tax Policy and Programme Manager at Action Aid Denmark, Impact of bilateral tax treaties on developing countries.
- Presentation by Mr **Eric Mensah**, UN Committee on Experts of International Cooperation in Tax Matters (by videoconference).

Discussion with TAX3 Members

18.25- 18.30 Conclusions by the TAX3 Chair