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JOINT PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEE

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33RD MEETING OF THE EEA JOINT PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEE

Hotel Britannia, Trondheim, Norway Meeting room 5 Wednesday 28 October 2009, 09.00 – 17.00

AGENDA

- 1. Opening of the meeting
- 2. Adoption of the Draft Agenda (1093975)
- 3. Election of the Vice-President of the EEA JPC
- 4. Approval of the minutes of the 32nd meeting of the EEA JPC (1091822)
- 5. Development of the EEA Agreement and follow up to resolutions adopted at the 32nd meeting of the EEA Joint Parliamentary Committee

Statements by

- Mr Helge SKAARA, Norwegian Mission to the EU, representing the President-in-Office of the EEA Council and EEA Joint Committee
- H.E. Mr Michael SAHLIN, Ambassador, Sweden, representing the EU President of the EEA Council
- Mr Lars-Olof HOLLNER, European Commission, representing the EU President of the EEA Joint Committee
- Mr Per SANDERUD, President of the EFTA Surveillance Authority

Followed by an exchange of views

- 6. Iceland-EU relations: Recent developments Introduction by Mr Árni Thór SIGURDSSON (Left Green Movement, Iceland) Exchange of views
- 7. Consideration of the draft report on *The EEA and the Global Financial Crisis: Promoting recovery* (1094908)

Co-rapporteurs: Mr Árni Thór SIGURDSSON (Left Green Movement, Iceland) Mr Paul RÜBIG (EPP, Austria)

Followed by an exchange of views

- 8. Global Financial crisis and Financial Supervision in the EU: the de Larosiere Report Guest speaker: Mr Emil Steffensen, Deputy Director General, The Financial Supervisory Authority of Norway
- 9. Consideration of the draft report on *Labour Market Issues in the EEA: Posted Workers and the Freedom to Provide Services* (1094912)

Co-rapporteurs: Mr Steinar GULLVÅG (Labour Party, Norway)

Ms Catherine STIHLER (S&D Group, United Kingdom)

Followed by an exchange of views

10. Consideration of the working document *The EEA and regional cooperation: Multilevel governance and reform of local and regional policies in the EU and the EEA* (1094911)

Rapporteur: Ms Rigmoor AASRUD (Labour Party, Norway)

Followed by an exchange of views

- 11. Vote on the draft resolutions
- 12. Future work of the EEA JPC
- 13. Any other business
- 14. Next meeting