

Committee on Budgetary Control

## **PROGRAMME**

## Hearing on

"Control of projects and implementation of EU funds in the area of infrastructure and transport - effectiveness and problems"

20 April 2016 (15.00-18.30)

Brussels, JAN 6Q2

15.00 - 15.05	Opening remarks and introduction by Chair
15.05 - 15.15	Introduction by the Co-Rapporteurs
	I - Control of EIB financed projects: what kind of challenges the EIB has to face?
15.15 - 16.15	Views of key-stakeholders involved in the control and the assessment of effectiveness of EIB financed projects: - funding schemes at stake, - ways of selection and controlling of projects, - consistency of methodologies to measure the effectiveness of transport and infrastructure investments.
	<ul> <li><u>Speakers:</u></li> <li>EIB, <i>Mr Neil Valentine</i>, Head of division in the Projects</li> <li>Department and <i>Ms Ivory Yong-Prötzel</i>, Head of Operations</li> <li>Evaluation,</li> <li>Counter Balance (Brussels), <i>Mr Xavier Sol</i>, Director.</li> </ul>
16.15 - 16.45	Questions, replies, debate

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16.45 - 17.45	II - The implementation of EU funds in infrastructure and transport: lessons learnt from the project Lyon-Turin
	<ul> <li>key-infrastructure investment strategies,</li> <li>inherent difficulties and operational constraints,</li> <li>further improvements and options to be considered in future similar projects.</li> </ul>
	Speakers:  - Mr Olivier Onidi, European Commission, Director of DG MOVE, Mr Stéphane Ouaki, European Commission, Head of Unit B.4. of DG MOVE, and Mr Herald Ruijters, Head of Unit B.1. of DG MOVE  - Société Tunnel Euralpin Lyon Turin (TELT), Mr Hubert du Mesnil, Président,  - Mr Daniel Ibañez, économiste des Procédures collectives (redressements et liquidations judiciaires).
17.45 - 18.20	Questions, replies, debate
18.20 - 18.30	Closing remarks by Co-Rapporteurs