

**PUBLIC HEARING ON THE EUROPEAN CITIZENS' INITIATIVE
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Thursday, 10 April 2014 from 09h00 to 12h30

European Parliament, Brussels, József Antall JAN 4Q2

FINAL AGENDA

From 09h00 to 09h30

Introductory statements

Welcome and opening by Teresa Riera Madurell, ITRE Rapporteur on Horizon 2020

Statement by Françoise Castex, Vice-Chair of the Committee on Legal Affairs

Statement by Michael Cashman, Member of the Committee on Development

Statement by Peter Jahr, Member of the Committee on Petitions

Statement by Máire Geoghegan-Quinn, Commissioner for Research, Innovation and Science

Statement by Andris Piebalgs, Commissioner for Development

Presentation of the initiative by Patrick Gregor Puppinck, President of the Citizens' Committee

From 09h30 to 10h30

Round 1: "EU Research funding"

Presentation of the objective by Patrick Gregor Puppinck, President of the Citizens' Committee

Statement by Françoise Castex, Vice-Chair of the Committee on Legal Affairs

Statement by Teresa Riera Madurell, ITRE Rapporteur on Horizon 2020

Questions & Answers session with MEPs in the presence of Robert-Jan Smits, Director-General, DG Research and Innovation, European Commission

Answers by the Citizen's Committee

Break for 10 minutes

From 10h40 to 11h40

Round 2: "EU Development aid"

Presentation of the objective by Patrick Gregor Puppinck, President of the Citizens' Committee

Statement by Michael Cashman, Member of the Committee on Development

Statement by Thijs Berman, DEVE Rapporteur on Development Cooperation Instrument

Questions & Answers session with MEPs in the presence of **Markus Cornaro**, Deputy Director-General, DG Development and Cooperation, European Commission

Answers by the Citizen's Committee

From 11h40 to 12h30

Closing statements

Closing statement by Patrick Gregor Puppinck, President of the Citizens' Committee

Closing statement by Máire Geoghegan-Quinn, Commissioner for Research, Innovation and Science

Closing statement by Andris Piebalgs, Commissioner for Development

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