# **European Parliament**

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### Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

#### EMPL COORDINATORS

### FINAL RESULTS

Meeting of 17 October 2022 18:00-19:30 hrs

Room: WEISS N1.3 in Strasbourg and Interactio

#### Present:

EPP: Dennis RadtkeS&D: Agnes Jongerius

- Renew: Lucia Ďuriš Nicholsonová

Greens/EFA: Sara Matthieu
ID: Dominique Bilde
ECR: Elżbieta Rafalska

- The Left: Leila Chaibi

#### 1. Adoption of draft agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

#### 2. Points for discussion and decision

# 2.1. Hearing Uber [KS/AV]

- Coordinators decided to split the hearing in two panels, with one panel dedicated to the whistleblower Mark MacGann. Commissioner Schmit would also be invited to intervene in the first panel, after consulting the format with the whistleblower.
- 2.2. High-quality early childhood education and care for all a way to close the inequalities' gap and achieve work-life balance EMPL/9/10054 [MP]

- Coordinators mandated the secretariat to work on finding a solution on the conflict of competence, which will be submitted to coordinators in written procedure. The deadline for informing the CCC has been extended to 3 November.

# 2.3. Fostering and adapting vocational training as a tool for employees' success and a building block for the EU economy in the new industry 4.0 - EMPL/9/10053 [HH]

- Coordinators decided to reject CULT request for rule 57 (shared competence) and propose only to draw an Opinion under Rule 56 +. The deadline for informing the CCC has been extended to 3 November.

# 2.4. INL on Quality Traineeships – exchange of views with stakeholders - 30 November - 1 December [HH]

- Coordinators decided to hold an exchange of views with stakeholders at the EMPL meeting of 30 November - 1 December (the invitation of experts would made without entitlement to claim travel expenses.)

# 2.5. 2023 EMPL Calendar of Meetings [JK]

- Coordinators expressed dissatisfaction about the high number of Monday afternoon and Thursday slots, noting that on Mondays, the possibility for a later start of the meetings should be explored, and that there should not be any votes on Monday or Thursday afternoons.
- Coordinators endorsed the 2023 EMPL calendar of meetings.

# 2.6. Study on Unionisation and the twin transition [HH]

- Coordinators decided to schedule a presentation of the study at a future meeting.

# 2.7. Study on Digitalisation and changes in the world of work (HH)

- Coordinators decided to schedule a presentation of the study at a future meeting.

#### 3. Allocation of Reports and opinions

# 3.1. Legislative Reports

- 3.1.1. Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2009/148/EC on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to asbestos at work EMPL/9/10227 2022/0298(COD) [MP]
  - Coordinators decided to postpone the decision on this point.
- 3.1.2. Upcoming EC proposal for a decision on European Year of Skills 2023 [MP/HH]
  - Coordinators decided to postpone the decision on this point.

# 3.2. Non Legislative reports

- 3.2.1. European Semester for economic policy coordination: Employment and social priorities for 2023 (hors quota) -2022/2151(INI) [NM]
  - Coordinators decided to postpone the decision on this point.

# 3.3. Legislative Opinions

- 3.3.1. Prohibiting products made with forced labour on the Union market EMPL/9/10139 2022/0269(COD) [ABR/AV]
  - Coordinators decided to mandate the Chair to raise a conflict of competence and request to draw an opinion under Rule 57.
- 3.3.2. Establishing a Single Market emergency instrument and repealing Council Regulation No (EC) 2679/98 EMPL/9/10120 2022/0278(COD) [NM]
  - Coordinators decided to mandate the Chair to raise a conflict of competence and request to draw an opinion under Rule 57.

# 3.4. Non legislative opinions

None received

### 3.5. Documents from the Commission received for information

Documents related to the European Care Strategy, presented by VP Suiča in EMPL Committee on 8 September:

- 3.5.1. Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions on the European care strategy COM(2022)0440
- 3.5.2. Proposal for a Council recommendation on access to affordable high-quality long-term care COM(2022)0441
- 3.5.3. Commission staff working document Summary of consultation activities Accompanying the document Commission Communication on the European care strategy SWD(2022)0440
- 3.5.4. Commission staff working document Accompanying the document Commission proposal for a Council Recommendation on access to affordable high-quality long-term care SWD(2022)0441

# Documents received relating to Asbestos

- 3.5.5. REGULATORY SCRUTINY BOARD OPINION Proposal for a DIRECTIVE OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL amending Directive 2009/148/EC on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to asbestos at work SEC(2022)0342
- 3.5.6. Commission staff working document Subsidiarity Grid Accompanying the document Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2009/148/EC on the protection of workers from the risk related to exposure to asbestos at work SWD(2022)0310
- 3.5.7. COMMISSION STAFF WORKING DOCUMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT [] Accompanying the document [Mandatory element] Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2009/148/EC on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to asbestos art work SWD(2022)0311
- 3.5.8. COMMISSION STAFF WORKING DOCUMENT EXECUTIVE SUMMARY OF THE IMPACT ASSESSMENT REPORT [] Accompanying the document Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2009/148/EC on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to asbestos at work SWD(2022)0312

# Documents related to temporary support under Regulation (EU) 2020/672 to mitigate unemployment risks in the emergency following the COVID-19 outbreak

- 3.5.9. Proposal for a COUNCIL IMPLEMENTING DECISION amending Implementing Decision (EU) 2020/1348 granting temporary support under Regulation (EU) 2020/672 to the Republic of Croatia to mitigate unemployment risks in the emergency following the COVID-19 outbreak-COM(2022)0476
- 3.5.10. Proposal for a COUNCIL IMPLEMENTING DECISION amending Implementing Decision (EU) 2020/1350 granting temporary support under Regulation (EU) 2020/672 to the Republic of Lithuania to mitigate unemployment risks in the emergency following the COVID-19 outbreak COM(2022)0479
- 3.5.11. Proposal for a COUNCIL IMPLEMENTING DECISION amending Implementing Decision (EU) 2020/1354 granting temporary support under Regulation (EU) 2020/672 to the Portuguese

- Republic to mitigate unemployment risks in the emergency following the COVID-19 outbreak COM(2022)0505
- 3.5.12. Proposal for a Council implementing decision amending Implementing Decision (EU) 2020/1346 granting temporary support under Regulation (EU) 2020/672 to the Hellenic Republic to mitigate unemployment risks in the emergency following the COVID-19 outbreak COM(2022)0506
- 3.5.13. Proposal for a Council implementing decision amending Implementing Decision (EU) 2020/1344 granting temporary support under Regulation (EU) 2020/672 to the Republic of Cyprus to mitigate unemployment risks in the emergency following the COVID-19 outbreak COM(2022)0507
- 3.5.14. Proposal for a COUNCIL IMPLEMENTING DECISION amending Implementing Decision (EU) 2020/1353 granting temporary support under Regulation (EU) 2020/672 to the Republic of Poland to mitigate unemployment risks in the emergency following the COVID-19 outbreak COM(2022)0508
- 3.5.15. Proposal for a COUNCIL IMPLEMENTING DECISION amending Implementing Decision (EU) 2020/1345 granting temporary support under Regulation (EU) 2020/672 to the Czech Republic to mitigate unemployment risks in the emergency following the COVID-19 outbreak COM(2022)0509

### Other documents received for information

- 3.5.16. Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of Regions better assessing the distributional impact of Member States' Policies COM(2022)0494 Final
- 3.5.17. Report from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the economic and Financial Committee and the Employment Committee: Report on the European instrument for Temporary Support to mitigate Unemployment Risks in an Emergency (SURE) following the COVID-19 outbreak pursuant to Article 14 of Council Regulation (EU) 2020/672 SURE: Two Years On COM(2022)0483
- 3.5.18. Proposal for a Council Recommendation On adequate minimum income ensuring active inclusion COM(2022)0490
- 3.5.19. Commission staff working document Accompanying the document Proposal for a Council Recommendation On adequate minimum income ensuring active inclusion SWD(2022)0313
- 3.5.20. Commission staff working document Accompanying the document communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions Better assessing the distributional impact of Member States' policies SWD(2022)0323

#### 4. Delegated Acts [SM/AV]

Commission Delegated Regulation supplementing Regulation (EU) 2019/1700 of the European Parliament and of the Council by specifying the number and the title of the eight-yearly variables in the labour force domain on 'young people on the labour market', 'educational attainment — details, including

education interrupted or abandoned' and 'reconciliation of work and family life' EMPL/9/10223 - 2022/2864(DEA)

- Coordinators decided not to object to the proposed delegated act.

# 5. Petitions [TV/MP]

# **5.1.** Petitions for Opinion

None received

### **5.2.** Petitions for information

- Coordinators took note of the opinions received for information.

### 6. Motion for resolution [TV]

# **6.1.** Motion for resolution B9-0378/2022 on the potential for innovation from youth in rural areas

- Coordinators decided not to take further action.

# 6.2. Motion for resolution B9-0377/2022 on the implementation of measures to favour the process of transition of young people with disabilities from the school to the working world

- Coordinators decided not to take further action.

## 7. Dates of next EMPL Coordinators' meetings [JK]

- Tuesday, 25 October 9:00-9.45, room Jozef Antall 6Q2
- Thursday 17 November 90 minutes during the morning, timing depending on availability of facilities, tbc
- Thursday 1 December, tbc