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DRAFT AGENDA (DATED 18/01/2023)

Monday, 27 February 2023

- 12.00 - 14.30** Registration of participants from national Parliaments
Registration desk “Event Participants and Guests”, Altiero Spinelli Building
- 12.00 - 14.30** Political group meetings:
(TBC)
- 14.30 – 15.30** **Opening session: Economic and social challenges in times of geopolitical uncertainty**
Meeting room: Hemicycle (SPAAK Building, 3rd floor)
- Welcoming words by **Roberta METSOLA**, President of the European Parliament
 - Welcoming words by **Andreas NORLÉN** Speaker of the Swedish Riksdag

 - Key address by **Charles MICHEL**, President of the European Council (TBC)
 - Key address by **Kristalina GEORGIEVA**, Managing Director of the International Monetary Fund (TBC)
 - Key address **Mathias CORMANN** by Secretary-General of the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (TBC)
- 15.30 - 18.45** **Interparliamentary Committee Meetings (in parallel)**
- Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs (ECON)**
Meeting room: ANTALL 4Q2
- Co-chaired by **Irene TINAGLI**, Chair of the Economic and Monetary Committee of the European Parliament and **Mikael DAMBERG**, Vice-Chair of the Committee on Finance of the Swedish Riksdag

Session I: **High Inflation: the Conundrum of the right policy responses**

Introductory remarks by

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- XXXXX (Member of national Parliament) (TBC)

Exchange of views among Members of National Parliaments and Members of the European Parliament

Session II: **The impact of the decreasing use of cash - the case of digital currencies**

Introductory remarks by

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- XXXXX (Member of national Parliament) (TBC)

Exchange of views among Members of National Parliaments and Members of the European Parliament

Committee on Employment and Social Affairs (EMPL)

Meeting room: ANTALL 6Q2

Chaired by **Dragoş PÎSLARU**, Chair, Committee on Employment and Social Affairs of the European Parliament

Session I: **Socio-economic consequences of high inflation and energy prices and remedies to address them with focus on vulnerable households**

Introductory remarks by

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- XXXXX (Member of national Parliament) (TBC)

Exchange of views among Members of National Parliaments and Members of the European Parliament

Session II: **Further integrating the social dimension in the review of the EU's economic and fiscal framework**

Introductory remarks by

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- XXXXX (Member of national Parliament)(TBC)

Exchange of views among Members of National Parliaments and Members of the European Parliament

Committee on Budgets (BUDG)

Meeting room: ANTALL 4Q1

Co-chaired by **Johan VAN OVERTVELDT**, Chair, Committee on Budgets, European Parliament and **Edward RIEDL**, Chair of the Committee on Finance of the Swedish Riksdag

Session I: **Climate change, energy, inflation: what role for the Multiannual Financial Framework and Own Resources, and how to best create synergies with national interventions?**

Introductory remarks by

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- XXXXX (Member of national Parliament) (TBC)

Exchange of views among Members of National Parliaments and Members of the European Parliament

Session II: **Support for Ukraine - national and EU budgetary crisis responses and the role of parliaments**

Introductory remarks by

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- XXXXX (Member of national Parliament)(TBC)

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19.00 – 21.00 **Walking Dinner**
House of European History

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Tuesday, 28 February 2023

9.00 – 10.45 **Plenary session: Review of the EU economic governance framework – exchange of views**

Meeting room: Hemicycle (Paul-Henri Spaak Building, 3rd floor)

Co-chaired by: **Othmar KARAS**, First Vice-President of the European Parliament and **Edward RIEDL**, Chair of the Committee on Finance of the Swedish Riksdag

Introductory remarks by

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Exchange of views among Members of National Parliaments and Members of the European Parliament in the presence of representatives from the Committee of the Regions and the European Economic and Social Committee

10.45 – 11.15 **Coffee break**

Foyer of the Hemicycle (Paul-Henri Spaak Building, 3rd floor)

11.15 – 13.00 **Plenary session: Remote working within the EU –fiscal challenges**

Meeting room: Hemicycle (Paul-Henri Spaak Building, 3rd floor)

Co-chaired by: Dita CHARANZOVÁ, Vice-President of the European Parliament and Niklas KARLSSON, Chair of the Committee on Taxation of the Swedish Riksdag

Introductory remarks by

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13.00 – 13:15 **Family photo**

Hemicycle (Paul-Henri Spaak Building, 3rd floor)

13.15 – 14.30 **Walking Lunch**

Grand Cafe Spinelli (ASP building, ground floor)