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Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

EMPL COORDINATORS

FINAL RESULTS - V1-00

Meeting of 3 October 2024 10.15 - 12.30

Room: ANTALL 6Q2

Present:

- EPP: Dennis RADTKE, Liesbet SOMMEN

- S&D: Estelle CEULEMANS

- PfE: Nikola BARTŮŠEK

- ECR: Chiara GEMMA, Georgiana TEODORESCU

- Renew: Jana TOOM, Brigitte VAN DEN BERG

- Greens/EFA: Maria OHISALO

The Left: Leila CHAIBIESN: Petar VOLGIN

Decisions taken at the meeting:

1. Confirmation hearings of Commissioners-designate: adoption of written questions

Coordinators discussed main themes of written questions to be submitted to Commissioners-designate, strongly criticised the tight timetable, tasked the secretariat to provide a revised draft and decided to finalise the questions at a meeting on Monday, 7 October in Strasbourg.

2. Activities with national parliaments

- Coordinators decided to:
 - o submit to CCC a proposal on housing, merging two proposals on this subject submitted by groups, which would be organised in the first half of 2025;
 - keep on the list of possible topics that could be considered for the second half of 2025 the following proposals: youth employment; firefighters; and minimum wages & collective bargaining.

3. Monitoring of the social dimension of the implementation of the EUs' reviewed economic governance framework

Coordinators held a preliminary discussion on the way forward on EMPL involvement in the multilateral surveillance of the EU's economic and social policies under the European Semester, and agreed that EMPL should either join ECON for the first dialogue on the medium fiscal-structural plans or, if rejected by ECON, to organise its own dialogue with the Commission.

4. EMPL Working Methods – exchange of views

Postponed to next meeting.

5. Proposed dates for EMPL Committee meetings in 2025

- Coordinators endorsed the proposed dates of committee meetings in 2025, stressing that committee meetings should be avoided on Thursday afternoon.

6. Decisions taken via written procedure

For the record, Coordinators took the following decisions by written procedure:

- In respect of requests for two own-initiative (INI) reports submitted for consideration at the CCC meeting on 8 October 2024, Coordinators decided to (deadline: 27/09/2024):
 - O Contest the SANT request for an INI on 'Sustainable health systems and an EU health workforce crisis plan';
 - Request an opinion under Rule 57 to the ECON-BUDG INI on 'Implementation report of the Recovery and Resilience Facility'.

7. Any other business

None.

8. Dates of next Coordinators' meetings

- Next Coordinators' meeting: 7 October 2024.

Annex 1 - Other non-legislative documents received for information

- Proposal for a Council Implementing Decision amending Implementing Decision (EU) (ST 10477/21 INIT; ST 10477/21 ADD 1) of 28 July 2021 on the approval of the assessment of the recovery and resilience plan for Lithuania COM(2024)0421 2024/0233 (NLE)
- Proposal for a Council Implementing Decision amending Implementing Decision (EU) (ST 10149/21 INIT; ST 10149/21 ADD 1 REV 1) of 13 July 2021 on the approval of the assessment of the recovery and resilience plan for Portugal COM(2024)0418 2024/0232 (NLE)
- Report from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions State of the Energy Union Report 2024 (pursuant to Regulation (EU)2018/1999 on the Governance of the Energy Union and Climate Action) COM(2024)0404
- Report from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions Report on the implementation of the EU anti-racism action plan 2020-2025 and on national action plans against racism and discrimination COM(2024)0419
- Report from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions on the implementation of the national Roma strategic frameworks in light of the EU Roma strategic framework for equality, inclusion and participation and the Council Recommendation on Roma equality, inclusion and participation COM(2024)0422