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Tuesday, 28 September 2021, 9:45-15:30 (CET)
Slovenia

Videoconference

Draft programme (as of 7 July 2021)

Tuesday, 28 September 2021

09:45–10:00

Conference Opening

Welcome address by the President of the National Assembly of the Republic of Slovenia, **Mr Igor Zorčič**

Introductory speech:

- **Mr Paschal Donohoe**, President of the Eurogroup

10:00–12:00

Topic I:

Financing the Pandemic Exit Strategy – New Own Resources; Could the proposed new digital tax be the answer we are all looking for?

Chair:

- **Mr Robert Polnar**, Chair of the Committee on Finance

Introductory speakers:

- **Mr Andrej Šircelj**, Finance Minister of the Republic of Slovenia
- **Mr Johannes Hahn**, European Commissioner for Budget and Administration
- **Mr José Manuel Fernandes**, MEP, Rapporteur
- **Mr Robert Polnar**, Chair of the Committee on Finance

Discussion

12:00–13:30

Break

13:30–15:30

Topic II:

New Challenges and Opportunities of European Economic Recovery and Renewal for Effectively Channelling Funds into the Implementation of the NextGenerationEU Instrument

Chair:

- **Ms Mateja Udovč**, Chair of the Committee on the Economy

Introductory speakers:

- **Mr Zdravko Počivalšek**, Minister of Economic Development and Technology of the Republic of Slovenia
- **Mr Zvonko Černač**, Minister without Portfolio of the Republic of Slovenia, responsible for Development and EU Cohesion Policy
- **Ms Irene Tinagli**, MEP, Chair of Economic and Monetary Affairs Committee of the European Parliament
- **Mr Valdis Dombrovskis**, Executive Vice-President of the European Commission for an Economy that Works for the People (tbc)

Discussion