



Side event at the 97th International Labour Conference, 2008

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FLEXICURITY FOR DECENT WORK

A labour market policy approach

Friday, 6 June 2008

1 pm – 3 pm

Palais des Nations, Room XXIV

- 1 pm The Danish Permanent Mission to the United Nations in Geneva will host a sandwich lunch
- 1.15 pm Welcome
Ms. Marie-Louise Overvad, Ambassador, Permanent Representation of Denmark to the UN in Geneva (Chair)
Mr. José Manuel Salazar-Xirinachs, Executive Director, Employment Sector, ILO
- 1.20 pm Presentation of the Danish flexicurity model and Danish experiences
Mr. Claus Hjort Frederiksen, Danish Minister for Employment
Ms. Marie-Louise Knuppert, Elected Secretary, Danish Confederation of Trade Unions (LO)
Mr. Jørn Neergaard Larsen, Director General, Confederation of Danish Employers (DA)
- 1.50 pm Flexicurity and Decent Work
Mr. Peter Auer, Chief of Employment Analysis and Research Unit, ILO
- 2 pm Flexicurity-experiences from prior transition countries in Europe
Ms. Alena Nesporova, Deputy Regional Director for Europe and Central Asia, ILO,
and Ms. Sandrine Cazes, Senior Labour Market Specialist, ILO
- 2.10 pm Open debate – including interventions by the Workers and the Employers in the ILO
- 2.45 pm Concluding remarks
Mr. José Manuel Salazar-Xirinachs, Executive Director of the Employment Sector, ILO
- 2.50 pm Closure

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