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EUROPEAN SOCIAL COHESION PLATFORM (PECS)

Fourth Meeting Agenda

10-11 October 2019

Opening of the meeting: Thursday, 10 October 2019 at 15:00

Closing of the meeting: Friday, 11 October 2019 at 13:00

Venue: Hotel Bettoja Mediterraneo Rome, Italy

1. Opening of the meeting

Welcoming address:

 Mr Jan MALINOWSKI, Head of the Department of the European Social Charter, Directorate of Human Rights, DG

2. Adoption of the draft agenda and order of business

3. Matters of general interest to the PECS

- 3.1. Recent developments within the Council of Europe
- 3.2. Recent developments in Member States

4. PECS Terms of Reference 2020-2021 and the work plan for 2020-2021

Presentation of the draft terms of reference and draft work plan for the biennium 2020-2021, exchange of views and possible approval of the work plan

5. Council of Europe Committee of Ministers declaration on addressing child poverty

Presentation, final exchange of views and approval of the draft declaration

6. Council of Europe Strategy on Social Cohesion

Presentation, exchange of views and possible approval of the draft Revised Strategy

7. Report on Middle Class

Presentation and discussion

- 8. Any other business
- 9. Date and venue of the next PECS meeting
- 10. Adoption of the abridged report
- 11. Closing of the meeting