Programme

Meeting
“L’Europe de l’Enfance” Group

Date: 03 June 2007

Venue: Kleisthaus, Berlin, Deutschland

Organiser: German Federal Ministry for Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth

Participants: approx. 35 representatives of the ministries responsible for child policy in the EU Member States, guests

Conference languages: German, English, French

Sunday, 03 June 2007

14:00 Opening of the Conference Office
Kleisthaus
Mauerstr. 53
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Moderation: Wolfgang Dichans, Head of Department, Department “Child Day Care”, German Federal Ministry for Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth

15:00 – 15:15 Welcome

15:15 – 16:00 Input I: First Meeting of the European Forum for Children’s Rights
Wolfgang Dichans, German Federal Ministry for Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth

Followed by: Discussion
16:00 – 16:45  Input II: EU Notification – Implementation Status

Patrick Trousson, DG Justice, Freedom and Security, European Commission

Followed by: Discussion

16:45 – 17:15  Coffee break

17:15 – 19:15  Discussion

Central issues:

- What is the attitude of the Member States to the Forum?
- What can the Forum achieve?
- What role do the Member States play in the Forum?
- What themes do the Member States consider to be most urgent for the Forum’s agenda?
- What informal and formal structures do the Member States consider to be most necessary?

19:15 – 19:30  Information on the next meeting of the “L’Europe de l’Enfance” Group

Rosa Maria Clemente, Ministry of Labour and Social Solidarity, Portugal

19:45  Shuttle service to dinner

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20:00  Festive dinner with champagne reception