



## **PROGRAMME**

Meeting: ESIG Stakeholder Day 4 "Solvents and the Green Deal": Safe and Sustainable

Solvents & their Applications – Today and in the Future?

Date: 16<sup>th</sup> January 2024 – 10:00 -12:30 (CET)

Place: Cefic, Rue Belliard 40, 1040 Brussels / Videoconference

Welcome Coffee			09:30
1.	Welcome, reminder of Competition Law & Introduction	Anna Tancorra – vice-chair ESIG Alain D'haese – chair ESVOC	10:00
2.	<ul> <li>Safe and sustainable chemicals &amp; materials</li> <li>Views of the European Commission <ul> <li>Policy context</li> <li>"Safe and Sustainable by Design" – what is it and how can it help?</li> </ul> </li> <li>Q&amp;A</li> </ul>	Christina Markouli, EU Commission, DG RTD (Research and Innovation), Irantzu Garmendia-Aguirre, JRC (Joint Research Centre) - ISPRA	10:05
3.	<ul> <li>Solvents specific "breakdown" &amp; challenges</li> <li>Overview ESIG initiatives &amp; products</li> <li>Perspective &amp; views of solvents' downstream users         With contributions from selected downstream         users         <ul> <li>What is a safe and sustainable chemical/material for             my sector/company?</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Cornelia Tietz  Panel Discussion - Moderator: Ann Dierckx, Cefic Director Sustainability	11:05 11:20
4.	Outlook & Closure	Anna Tancorra/Alain D'haese	12:15
Lunch			12:30

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