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OUTLINE AGENDA FOR THE DANISH RESTRUCTURING SEMINAR 9 & 10 APRIL 2008			
DAY ONE			
1000 - 1030	> Introduction to the programme	The expert coordinator	
	> Expectations from the national seminar	EU social partners (BUSINESSEUROPE on behalf of the employers, ETUC on behalf of trade unions)	
1030 - 1115	 A factual macro-economic review of restructuring in the country: Key economic statistics; Key social statistics; Analysis of the nature and extent of restructuring from 1995 to date; Future prospects for further restructuring in the economy; The legal context against which restructuring has taken place. 	Presentation by the expert of Section One of the national dossier	
1115 – 1130	Break	JI.	
1130 - 1230	Discussion of the macro-economic review	Structured round-table discussion focussing on issues of fact - chaired by expert coordinator	
1230 – 1400	Lunch		
1400 - 1445	Systems of social dialogue and employee relations A review of the role in restructuring of the social partners at national, sectoral and enterprise levels. The presentation will identify the main themes underlying social partner activities relating to restructuring in Denmark.	Presentation by the expert of Section Two of the national dossier	
1445 - 1545	Discussion of the review on the role of the social partners in restructuring.	Structured round-table discussion focussing on issues of fact - chaired by expert coordinator	
1545 – 1600	Break		
1600 – 1630 1630 - 1700	Joint EU social partners work relevant to restructuring. Discussion	Presentation by the European social partner organisations	
1700 - 1730	Summary of the day, suggestion of issues for overnight consideration and review of the agenda for day two	Expert coordinator	

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DAY TWO			
0915 - 0930	Review of agenda for day two	Expert coordinator	
0930 – 1000	Presentation of a first case study included in Section Three of the national dossier (SME case)	Presentation by the social partners involved in the case study	
1000-1030	Discussion		
1030 – 1045	– 1045 Break		
1045 – 1115	Presentation of a second case study included in Section Three of the national dossier (large company case)	Presentation by the social partners involved in the case study	
1115 -1140	Discussion		
1140 - 1200	Restructuring in the public sector: The case of the Danish local government reform	Presentation by Local Government Denmark	
12.20 – 13.00	Summary Discussion – round table discussion identifying the strengths and weaknesses of overall social partner performance in the area of restructuring covering both macro and micro interventions	Structured round-table discussion chaired by the expert-coordinator	
1300-1330	Reflections on the discussion and close of seminar	Expert coordinator and European level social partners.	
1330 Lunch			