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SAFE AND SUSTAINABLE MOBILITY PARTNERSHIP

Fourteen million jobs in Europe depend on the automotive industry and the sector is the first in terms of R&D investments in the EU. In a fast-changing environment, this industry faces many scientific, technological and economic challenges.

Boosting innovation at interregional level undoubtedly becomes a key factor as well as a powerful tool to enable the European industry actors to maintain Europe's standing as a leading industrial position while maximizing the industry's contribution to growth and employment.

The Safe and Sustainable Mobility Partnership is led by Aragon (Spain), Bavaria (Germany) and Ile-de-France (France). The main objective of the S3 Partnership on Safe and Sustainable Mobility is to strengthen the innovation regional capacity beyond automotive industry, to facilitate investments based on open innovation infrastructure and new technologies in regional ecosystem.

Programme



8.30 – 09.00 WELCOME COFFEE



09.00 – 09.15 OPENING BY THE PARTNERSHIP'S LEADERS



09.15 – 9.35 PRESENTATION OF THE S3 PLATFORM

Nikos PANTALOS, Unit F.1 - Innovation Policy and Investment for Growth, DG GROW, European Commission



09.35 – 10.15 PRESENTATION OF THE SAFE AND SUSTAINABLE MOBILITY PARTNERSHIP

Françoise GUASPARE, Senior Advisor, Ile de France Europe

Francisco VIGALONDO, Representative of Aragón Exterior in Brussels

Q&A



10.15 – 11.15 EUROPEAN PRIORITIES ON SAFE AND SUSTAINABLE MOBILITY

Geert VAN-DER-LINDEN, DG MOVE, European Commission

Patrick MERCIER-HANDYDE, DG RTD, European Commission



11.15 – 11.30 COFFEE BREAK



11.30 – 12.30 DESCRIPTION OF THE REGION MAIN PRIORITIES

Showcases of regional or European projects on Safe and sustainable mobility from regions involved in the partnership:

Magnus ERNSTRÖM, Gävleborg Region

Robin SCHMUECKER, Stuttgart Region



12.30 – 12.45 CONCLUSION AND NEXT STEPS BY THE PARTNERSHIP'S LEADERS

