



Republic of Bulgaria  
ECONOMIC  
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**EUROPEAN CIVIL DEBATE:  
„STRONGER EUROPE FOR CITIZENS”  
On occasion of 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Bulgarian Economic and Social Council**

**2 December 2013, 2.00 p.m.  
Hall “Sredetz” Sheraton Sofia Hotel Balkan**

**PROGRAMME**

**1.30 p.m. – 2.00 p.m. – Welcome coffee**

**2.00 p.m. – 3.30 p.m. – Official opening**

**Lalko Dulevski**, President of the Bulgarian Economic and Social Council

**Rosen Plevneliev**, President of the Republic of Bulgaria

**Henri Malosse**, President of the European Economic and Social Committee

**Aliosman Imamov**, Vice-President of the 42<sup>nd</sup> National Assembly of the Republic of Bulgaria

**Daniela Bobeva**, Deputy Prime Minister of the Republic of Bulgaria

**Kristian Vigenin**, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Bulgaria

**Vasil Velev**, Vice-President of the Bulgarian ESC, President of the Association of Industrial Capital in Bulgaria

**Konstantin Trenchev** Vice-President of the Bulgarian ESC, President of Confederation of Labour “Podkrepa”

*Ceremony of bestowing the Honorary Award of the Economic and Social Council*

**3.30 p.m. – 4.10 p.m. – Coffee break**

**4.10 p.m. – 6.50 p.m. – European Civil Debate: „Stronger Europe for citizens“**

**4.10 p.m. – 4.40 p.m. – Keynote speeches**

**Bojidar Danev**, Member of the Bulgarian ESC and EESC, Executive Chairman of the Bulgarian Industrial Association

**Luca Jahier**, President of Various Interests Group of the European Economic and Social Committee

**4.40 p.m. – 6.50 p.m. – Discussion**

**7.00 p.m. – Cocktail**