The importance of local action and multi-level governance in reducing greenhouse gas emissions

AGENDA

COP 20 Lima, Peru
8th December 2014, 1.pm - 3.pm
Venue: EU Pavilion, Brussels room

- WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION
  Annabelle Jaeger, EU Committee of the Regions and member of the Provence-Alpes-Côte d’Azur Regional Council (France)

- THE COVENANT OF MAYORS AS THE UMBRELLA INITIATIVE FOR LOCAL CLIMATE ACTION AT THE EU LEVEL
  Pedro Ballesteros, DG Energy, European Commission

- COVENANT OF MAYORS ACHIEVEMENTS IN GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS REDUCTION AND MULTI-LEVEL GOVERNANCE
  Miguel Morcillo, Project Director, Climate Alliance & member of the Covenant of Mayors Office

- THE CLIMATE PACT IN LUXEMBOURG: NATIONAL AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TEAMING UP FOR CHANGE
  Camille Gira, State Secretary for Sustainable Development and Infrastructure, Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

- THE ROLE OF PROVINCES IN REDUCING GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS - THE EXAMPLE OF PROVINCE OF BARCELONA
  Mercè Rius i Serra, Deputy President for Environment, Province of Barcelona, Spain

- THE ROLE OF CIVIL SOCIETY IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE EU RENEWABLE ENERGY DIRECTIVE: AN IMPACT STUDY ACROSS SIX EU STATES
  Lutz Ribbe, European Economic and Social Committee, Head of the Sustainable Development Observatory

- DISCUSSION AND CONCLUDING REMARKS
  Michel Lebrun, President of the EU Committee of the Regions
  Miguel Arias Cañete, Commissioner for Climate action and Energy, European Commission (or replacement) TBC