

Secretariat of the Committee on International Trade

*(State of play, 16 March 2016)*

## COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE

**Delegation visit to Canada  
21- 23 March 2016**

### **Programme**

#### **20 March, Sunday**

*Afternoon      Arrival of the members of the delegation from Brussels (or other departure points) to Ottawa International Airport*

*Check-in at the Fairmont Château Laurier Hotel*

*1 Rideau Street, Ottawa; phone: + 1 613 241 14 14*

#### **21 March, Monday**

*08.00            Meeting in the hotel lobby*

*Short preparatory meeting and last update of the programme*

*08.30-10.00   Briefing buffet breakfast at the EU Delegation for Canada by European Union Ambassador Marie-Anne Coninx and the heads of trade and political sections:*

*Venue: EU Delegation, 150 Metcalfe Street, Ottawa*

*10.00-11.30   Meeting with civil society organisations to discuss their view on CETA*

*Venue: EU Delegation, 150 Metcalfe Street, Ottawa*

*Invited guests are:*

- *Hadrian Mertins-Kirkwood, Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives*
- *Larry Brown, Co-Chair, Trade Justice Network Canada*
- *Maude Barlow, Council of Canadians*
- *Pierre-Yves Serinet, Réseau québécois sur l'intégration continentale*

- 13.00-13.45 Meeting with official opposition leader Thomas Mulcair, NDP  
*Venue: Parliament Hill, Centre Block, room 533F - Entry through Visitor Welcome Center at 12.50*
- 14.00-15.30 Meeting with business organised by Canada-Europe Round Table, including representatives from Canadian Council of Chief Executives, Canadian Manufacturers and Exporters, Canadian Chamber of Commerce  
*Venue: Burgundy Room, Fairmont Château Laurier Hotel, 1 Rideau Street, Ottawa*
- 16.00-17.00 Meeting with the Representatives of Canadian Labour Congress and UNIFOR  
*Venue : Offices of CLC, 2841 Riverside Drive, Ottawa, ON K1V 8X7*
- 18.00-20.00 Dinner hosted by Hon. Chrystia Freeland, Minister of International Trade, Government of Canada  
*Venue: tbc*

## **22 March, Tuesday**

- 08.00 *Check-out from the hotel and meeting in the hotel lobby*
- 08.30-10.30 Meeting with the Members of the Standing Committee on International Trade (CIIT) of the Canadian House of Commons (Traditional Canadian "Sugar Bush" breakfast will be served)  
*Venue: Parliament Hill, Room C-180 and C-120, 1 Wellington Street*
- 11.30 Debriefing for EU HoMs, (brown bag lunch organised by EU DEL)  
*Venue: EU Delegation, 150 Metcalfe Street, Ottawa*
- 12.30 *Transfer to Montreal by bus (approx 2 h)*
- 15.15-16.15 Meeting with Ms Dominique Anglade, Minister of Economy, Québec Ministry of Economic Development and Innovation  
*Venue: Ministère des Relations Internationales et de la Francophonie, 1201, Boulevard René-Levescque Est*
- 16.15-17.30 Special briefing with Pierre-Marc Johnson, CETA negotiator for Quebec  
*Venue: Ministère des Relations Internationales et de la Francophonie, 1201, Boulevard René-Levescque Est*

*Check-in to hotel Centre Sheraton Montréal  
1201, Boulevard René-Levescque Ouest, Montréal, H3B 2L*

*Free dinner arrangement or visit to Hockey Game, Centre Bell at 19.30*






**23 March, Wednesday**

08.00      *Meeting in the hotel lobby and group transfer to the facilities of Bombardier at Mirabel*

09.00-11.00    Visit to Bombardier

12.00      Business lunch organised by the European Chamber of Commerce in Montréal in the presence of Mr. Jean-Stéphane Bernard, Deputy Minister for International Relations and Francophonie,  
*Venue: Hotel Le Westin, 270 Rue Saint Antoine O*

14.30-16.00    Visit to the Port of Montreal  
*Transfer to the airport*

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