



Towards an EU framework agreement on Just Transition in the Gas Sector

SSDC Gas – 28/04/23





Update on the process

- Mandate approved in industriAll Europe and EPSU
- Concept note approved in Eurogas

=> We can officially start negotiations!

Next Steps

Launch of negotiation:

- TODAY! (28/03/23)
- Letter to the European Commission / DG EMPL to start negotiation
- Press release

Practicalities:

- Negotiation's team:
 - 14 from trade unions' side
 - 14 from employers' side

Next Steps

- Meetings
 - 4 meetings + online meetings if needed
 - i. 1 before the summer (June – date tbc)
 - ii. 06 September 2023
 - i. Report during 7 September SSDC Gas meeting
 - iii. 11 December 2023
 - i. Report during 12 December SSDC Gas meeting
 - iv. Late January 2024 (date tbc)
 - v. Adoption in February or March 2024
- Participation will be reimbursed + interpretation (except if online meeting).



Draft Structure



Introduction's chapter with

- Purpose
- Objectives
- Scope
- Definitions



Chapter 1: anticipation and management of the transition on the company level



Chapter 2: Job to job transition



Chapter 3: Training as the key to employability



Chapter 4: Strong social dialogue



Chapter 5: Strong diversity at the workplace



Chapter 6: Implementation and monitoring



Additional information: non-regression clause, possibility to have more favourable provisions, form, respect for social partner autonomy