



# Legal enforcement of co-operative principles in the EU legislation

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**Dear invited Partner,**

We hope you are able to join our conference dealing with the importance of social economy namely with the strengthening of position of co-operatives within the EU. The conference is organized by the National Co-operative Council (HU) with the kind assistance of the State Secretariat of European Union Affairs of the Hungarian Prime Minister's Office and the Permanent Representation of Hungary to EU. This event is closing conference of project supported by the Visegrad Fund with the main objective of preparing adequate background analysis and documents for the European Parliament in order to foster the complex enforcement of co-operative principles.

11<sup>th</sup> January 2018, in Budapest

Yours sincerely:



(Vilmos Patay)

President

National Co-operative Council (HU)

## Program

- 9 45 Welcome and opening (Mr. Norbert Erdős MEP)
- 10 00 The objective and process of project supported by V4 Fund (Mr. Vilmos Patay Pres. of NCC HU, Mr. Jerzy Jankowski President of the Management Board, Auditing Union of Housing Cooperatives PL)
- 10 20 The relevance of cooperative principles related to the EU law. (Mrs. Mária Réti dr., PhD. hab. assoc. prof. ELTE University)
- 10 40 The main regulatory areas of German Co-operative law. ( Mrs. Klára BAK dr., ELTE University)
- 10 55 The present status of co-operative principles in the legislation of V4 and some neighbour countries) /Introduction of experiences based on questionnaire/. (Mr. Zoltán Szabó CSc. in Economy, general secretary of HANGYA Co-op)
- 11 10 Discussion related of presentations.
- 11 45 Coffee break
- 12 00 Possible steps leading to mandatory legal enforcement of cooperative principles (moderator Mr. Zoltán Szabó)
- Conclusion of conference belongs the project in Budapest (Mrs. Mária Réti dr.)
- Comments and debate
- 13 15 Summarizing the debate, definition of the strategy and action plan (Mr. Vilmos Patay, Mr. Jerzy Jankowski)

## The place of venue

