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DIRECTORATE-GENERAL RESEARCH.

Directorate T – Implementation of outsourced activities
SMEs

Draft agenda

**FP7 Information day on
Research for the benefit of SMEs**

14 March 2007 – 9.30 to 17.00

**Venue: Centre Albert Borschette, room AB-0A
Rue Froissart 36, 1040 Brussels**

- (1) Welcome and introduction** (9.30 – 10.00)
- (2) SMEs in FP7 – overview** (10.00 – 10.30)
- (3) Research for SMEs and Research for SME associations** (10.30 – 16.00)
 - (a) The new approach – a change in philosophy
 - (b) Main features of the funding scheme and calculation of the EC contribution to the project
 - (c) Proposal evaluation

Lunch: ca. 12.30 - 13.30

 - (d) Proposal preparation and submission: Part A (forms) and Part B (Description of work)
 - (e) Intellectual property rules
 - (f) The role of associations under the new approach
- (4) Rules for participation, grant agreement, financial aspects** (16.00 – 17.00)
- (5) Closing remarks**