Supporting Small and Medium Business in Armenia

EU Support to Small and Medium Business in Armenia through EIB

Friday 18th November 2016, 14.00 – 18.00

Venue: Armenia Marriott Hotel Yerevan
1 Amiryan street, Yerevan 0010

13.30 – 14.00	**Registration and welcome coffee**
14.00 – 14.30	**Welcome Speeches** *Mr. Jan Vapaavuori, Vice President,* *European Investment Bank (EIB)* *Dr. Piotr Antoni Świtalski, Ambassador,* *Head of Delegation of the European Union to Armenia* *Mr. Nerses Yeritsyan, Deputy Chairman,* *Central Bank of the Republic of Armenia*
14.30 – 15.20	**EIB and Innovfin in Armenia** *Ms. Marion Hoenicke, Mr. Luca Gattini, Mr. Marc D'hooge, EIB*
15.20 – 15.40	**Introduction to EIB Loan4SMEs** *Mr. Maciej Czura, EIB*
15.40 – 15.50	**Case Study – Success stories of Final Beneficiaries** *Ms. Ruzanna Khachatryan, Alpina Hotel* *Ms. Kristine Antonyan, Araks-2*
15.50 – 16.00	****** Coffee break ******
16.00 – 16.20	**Utilisation and Demand of the CBA L4SMEs** *Representatives of financial intermediary institutions:* *Mr. Ashot Abrahamyan, Ardshinbank* *Mr. Hayk Hovhannisyan, "SME Investments" Universal Credit Organization* *Ms. Elizabet Hakobjanyan, Ameriabank*
16.20 – 16.30	**Technical Assistance Component of the EIB Loan4SMEs** *Mr. Armen Asatryan, International Projekt Consult GmbH*
16.30 – 16.40	**Eligibility and Procedures** *Mr. Gevorg Tumanyan, German-Armenian Fund*
16.40 – 17.00	**Technical Assistance by Eastern Partnership TA Trust Fund** *Ms. Marion Hoenicke, EIB* *Q&A*
17.00 – 18.00	**Cocktail reception**