



Financing Research, Development and Innovation – a Key to the Future

Copenhagen, 16 May 2008

Symbion Science Park, Fruebjergvej 3, 2100 København Ø

09:30 **Registration**

10:00 **Introductory remarks**

Betina Hagerup, Deputy Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Economic and Business Affairs
Thomas C. Barrett, Director, EIB

Panel discussion

Moderator: Thomas C. Barrett, EIB

Speakers

- **Hans Müller Pedersen**, Deputy Director General, Danish Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation
- **Dr. Jens Rostrup-Nielsen**, Director of Special Projects, Haldor Topsøe
- **Christian Motzfeldt**, CEO, Vækstfonden
- **Charlotte Rønhof**, Research Director, Confederation of Danish Industries

11:00 **Coffee**

11:15 **WORKSHOP I – Financing investment in Research, Development and Innovation (RDI)**

Moderator: Tilman Seibert, Director, Baltic Department, EIB

Topic: Grant and debt financing under Framework Programme 7 (FP7); Special role of RSFF (Risk Sharing Finance Facility) for financing of RDI investments; Focus on innovative MIDCAPs and SME companies and on risk sharing with intermediary banks

Speakers

- **Kim Kreilgaard**, Head of Division, Research, Development and Innovation Financing, EIB
- **Anna Krzyzanowska**, DG RTD/ FP 7, European Commission

WORKSHOP II – Financing Venture Capital and Technology Transfer

Moderator: Thomas C. Barrett, Director, EIB

Topics: EIF's venture capital and technology transfer activities, including introduction to different technology transfer models in Europe

Speakers

- **Henri-François Boedt**, Investment Manager, European Investment Fund
- **Felicita Riedl**, Projects Directorate, EIB

12:45 **Lunch**

The EIB team would welcome bilateral meetings with those interested post the workshop or after lunch.

