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Greens/EFA delegation to Greece

Participants:

- **Sven Giegold**
- **Eva Joly**
- **Ska Keller**
- **Ulrike Lunacek**
- **Terry Reintke**
- **Josep-Maria Terricabras**
- **Vula Tsetsi**

THURSDAY 16 JULY	
16:45	Meeting at the Hotel Reception
17:15-20:00	BRIEFINGS:
BRIEFINGS /POLITICAL CONTACTS	17:15 Kostis Papaioannou Secretary General for Transparency and Human Rights Former President of Greek National Commission for Human Rights and Amnesty International Greece <i>meeting place: Ministry of Justice, Transparency and Human Rights, Mesogion Avenue 96</i> 18:15 Maria Stratigaki <i>Vice Mayor of Athens, responsible for Social Solidarity, Welfare and Equality</i> <i>meeting place: Municipal house of Athens, Kotzia square</i>
20:30-23:00	1) Labour rights
WORKING DINNER	Petros Linardos Rilmon Institute for Employment
DISCUSSION	

<p>"Peribanou" (Hatzidaki 9 , Ano Patisia)</p>		<p>2) Business, Trade , SMEs</p> <p>Vassilis Korkidis President of the HELLENIC CONFEDERATION OF COMMERCE & ENTREPREUNERSHIP, Vice President of the European Chambers Merchant in the shipping sector from Pireaus</p> <p>3) Pension system</p> <p>Dimitris Papastamopoulos <i>(to be confirmed)</i> Director of the office of the Minister of Labour</p>
<p>23:30-01:00</p> <p>(optional)</p>	<p>Late night walk around the centre of Athens to witness illegal prostitution of undocumented migrants, who are unidentified trafficking victims; visit Omonoia square police station to witness inhuman and degrading conditions of detention and lack of appropriate victim identification processes</p>	
<p>FRIDAY 17 JULY</p>		
<p>10:00 -11:30</p> <p>PRESS CONFERENCE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT'S OFFICE 8 AMALIAS AVENUE</p>		
<p>11:45-13:00</p>	<p>Option A</p> <p>Visit at the hospital Paidon " Saint Sofia"</p> <p>Central Hospital dedicated to childrens' medical care</p>	<p>Option B</p> <p>Perama district</p> <p>Meeting with the Mayor and members of the local authority</p> <p>Visit in shipping sites and discussion about the serious ecological and unemployment problems of the area</p>
<p>13:30-14:30</p>	<p>Minister of State for Combating Corruption, Panagiotis Nikoloudis</p> <p><i>Meeting place: Minister's office Fragoudi 11 Alexandrou Padou , Kallithea</i></p>	
<p>14:30-15:00</p>	<p>Lunch time (free)</p>	
<p>15:30-19:00</p>	<p>Visit to Solidarity Imitative Piraias Allilegii Pireas</p> <p>An amazing initiative of local professionals of Pirea to counter the crisis with offering free solidarity food, medical, educational, legal services, including collection and distribution of clothes/shoes/toys to undocumented refugees, migrants, and detainees, a Social Kitchen, collection and distribution of vegetables, free legal aid, language courses. It basically a full spectrum of social service</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Discussion with the volunteers- Observation of the supply chains for the soup kitchens- Discussion with the legal counsel for the households in debt	

Contact person: **Yiannis Charalampopoulos**

Metropolitan Community Clinic

The Metropolitan Community Clinic at Helliniko staffed with a growing network of volunteer doctors, dentists, pharmacists, therapists and support staff provides free medical assistance to the unemployed, the uninsured and the poor.

- Demonstration of the work of the clinic
- Discussion with the doctors

Contact person: **Maritta Corley**

19:30-21:30

PUBLIC EVENT

ΑΘΗΝΑΪΣ, Silk room , Kastorias 34-36, Votanikos, Athens

ROUNDTABLE: RESPONSES TO THE GREEK AND EUROPEAN CRISIS FROM A GREEN PERSPECTIVE

With interventions of MEPs and Greek guests

Coordination: **Vula Tsetsi** and **Giorgos Karameros**, Attica Vice-Governor

Possible interventions:

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- **Eva Joly**
- **Ska Keller**
- **Ulrike Lunacek**
- **Terry Reintke**
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THEMATIC UNITS:

- AUSTERITY - FINANCIAL SITUATION
- HEALTH - SOCIAL
- PLAN FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT with a new vision for Energy and Ecology
- IMMIGRATION

MEETINGS:

- Minister of Finance, **Euklid Tsakalotos** (tbc)
- Governor of the Bank of Greece, **Yiannis Stournaras** (confirmed)
- Minister for Health, **Panagiotis Koroumbilis** (confirmed)
- Alternate Minister for Reconstruction of Production, Environment and Energy , **Yiannis Tsironis** (confirmed)

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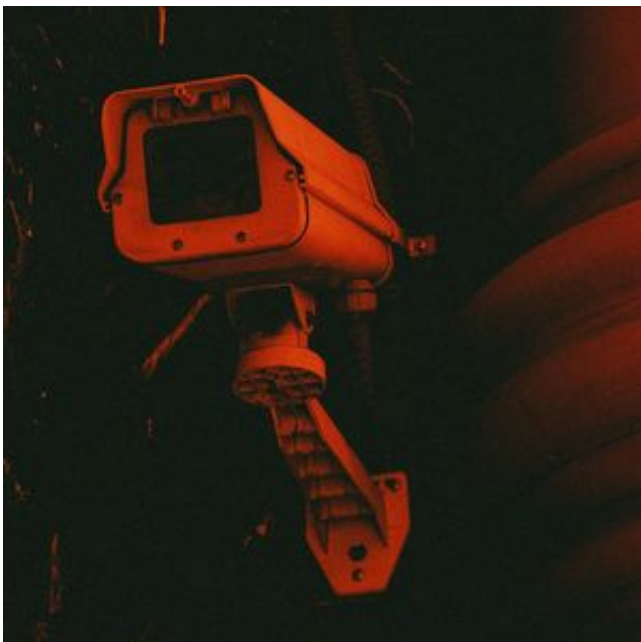


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Responsible MEPs



Sven Giegold

Member



Eva Joly

Member



Ska Keller

Member



Ulrike Lunacek

EP Vice-President, Member



Terry Reintke

Co-President



Josep Maria Terricabras

EFA President and first Vice President of the Greens/EFA Group

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