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What did Canada and France do to fix their lobbying problem?

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To protect the EU institutions from corruption, untransparent lobbying and the revolving door, some of the world's strongest rules are in place. Credible transparency rules are important to preserve the trust of citizens in European political decisions. But we have to address the weaknesses in implementing these rules. What can the EU learn of the best enforcement examples? The lead negotiators for Parliament's political groups discuss with representatives of the French Haute Autorité pour la Transparence de la Vie Publique (HATVP) and the Canadian Conflict of Interest and Ethics Commissioner.



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**WHAT DID CANADA AND FRANCE DO
TO FIX THEIR LOBBYING PROBLEM?**

Lawmakers for an Independent
EU Ethics Body discuss with:

-  **LISA GAMGANI**
Secretary General for the Haute Autorité pour la Transparence de la Vie Publique
-  **MARIO DION**
Conflict of Interest and Ethics Commissioner
-  **MELANIE RUSHWORTH**
Director, Communications, Outreach and Planning for Office of the Conflict of Interest and Ethics Commissioner

A webinar of and with MEPs Daniel Freund (Greens/EFA),
Włodzimierz Cimoszewicz (S&D), Gilles Boyer (Renew)
and Leila Chaibi (The Left)

   

The MEPs Daniel Freund (Greens/EFA), Włodzimierz Cimoszewicz (Socialists&Democrats), Gilles Boyer (Renew) and Leila Chaibi (The Left) invite you to listen in and ask your own questions on 24th of March 2021 from 15h to 17h.

Speakers :

- **Lisa Gamgani**, Secretary General for the Haute Autorité pour la Transparence de la Vie Publique
- **Mario Dion**, Conflict of Interest and Ethics Commissioner
- **Melanie Rushworth**, Director, Communications, Outreach and Planning for the Office of the Canadian Conflict of Interest and Ethics Commissioner
- **Nancy Bélanger**, Canadian Commissioner of Lobbying
- **Daniel Freund**, MEP Greens/EFA
- **Włodzimierz Cimoszewicz**, MEP Socialists&Democrats
- **Gilles Boyer**, MEP Renew
- **Leila Chaibi**, MEP The Left

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