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## **“Entrepreneurship in the islands: is enthusiasm enough?”**

### ***Public hearing on the repercussions of the Entrepreneurship 2020 Action Plan on the insular territories***

**5<sup>th</sup> July 2013**

**Rue Belliard 99, Brussels -Room JDE 51- Committee of the Regions**

#### **Objectives:**

- To discuss institutional proposals on the future Entrepreneurship 2020 Action Plan on the insular territories
- To contribute to the debate from the perspective of the territories and economic players directly affected by EU decisions
- To generate an open and fruitful exchange between decision makers and representatives of insular territories

#### **10h30: Opening**

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- ✓ **Juan GUAL DE TORRELLA**, President of Insuleur
- ✓ **José Ramón BAUZÁ**, President of the Balearic Islands and Member of the CoR

#### **11h00: Debate session**

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##### **I. The islands vision**

- ✓ **INSULEUR**  
**Olivier LEMERLE**, Member of the Technical Committee
- ✓ **Testimonial: a local business success story**  
**Jose Luís ROSES**, CEO of José L. Ferrer wineries



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## II. The EU proposals: what is the state of play?

- ✓ **COMMITTEE OF THE REGIONS**  
José Ramón BAUZÁ, President of the Balearic islands and Member of the CoR
- ✓ **EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT**  
Jean-Pierre AUDY, Member of the COM ITRE, Committee on Industry, Research and Energy (tbc)
- ✓ **EUROPEAN COMMISSION**  
Daniel CALLEJA CRESPO, Director General DG ENTR
- ✓ **EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COMMITTEE**  
Anna Maria DARMANIN, President of the Single Market Observatory (SMO)

## III. Questions from the audience

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13h00- 14h30: Wine reception