Latvian Presidency
of the Council of the European Union
1st of January – 30th of June 2015

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Welcome Video: Latvian Presidency of the Council of the EU

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Latvian Presidency's GOALS

Involvement - Growth – Sustainability

- Increasing competitiveness and entrepreneurial capacity to create jobs
- Seizing the digital opportunities
- Europe's global outreach

Consumer Policy Program

- Single Market policy
- Package Travel Directive
- Product Safety Package
- Consumer Protection Cooperation (CPC) Regulation

Key events
Brussels | 2015

- **COMPET** Council
  - *2-3rd March*
  - *28-29th May*
- **WP CONSOM**

Key events
RIGA | 2015

- **Informal COMPET** Council, *26-27th March*
- **High level consumer protection conference «*Future priorities in consumer policy*» ,** *April 23-24th*
  - Political discussions with high level representatives from *European Commission, MS, OECD, BEUC, Business Europe, Eurocommerce.*
  - *panel discussions*
- **European Competition day «*Broadening borders for more effective competition protection*» ,** *May 7th*
- **European Standardization Summit,** *June 3-5th*
- **Digital Assembly,** *planned June 17-18th*

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Events in Riga:

- **Consumer protection conference:**
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Paldies par Jūsu uzmanību!

Thank you for your attention!

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