

Study Visit: Netherlands Labour Authority (NLA) approach on strategies, practices and tools used for tackling undeclared work

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Ministry of Social Affairs and Employment

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AGENDA

Day 1

09.00 – 09.30	Registration and welcome
09.30 – 10.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Welcome by the Host Country – <i>Rits de Boer, Inspector-general, NLA</i> ▶ Welcome by ELA – <i>Pedro Assares, Head of Unit Enforcement and Analysis, ELA.</i>
10.00 – 11.00	<p>Host Country presentation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Introduction to the General approach of the Netherlands Labour Authority (NLA): Using strategic risk-analysis and a programmatic approach to make well-founded choices to tackle undeclared work – <i>Thérèse van der Velden, Head of strategic Unit, NLA</i> <p>Q&A and group discussion</p>
11.00 – 11.30	Coffee break
11.30 – 12.30	<p>Host Country interactive workshop (1st part)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Intervention toolbox. Making choices for effective interventions to influence behaviour of target groups – <i>Marlies Kok and Wendy Groels, Behavioural Insights Team, NLA</i> <p>Q&A and group discussion</p>
12.30 – 13.30	Lunch
13.30 – 14.30	<p>Host Country interactive workshop (2nd part)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Intervention toolbox. Making choices for effective interventions to influence behaviour of target groups – <i>Marlies Kok and Wendy Groels, Behavioural Insights Team, NLA</i> <p>Q&A, and group discussion</p>
14.30 – 15.00	Coffee break
15.00 – 16.30	<p>Host Country in-depth presentations</p> <p>In-depth presentation 1</p>



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Checklists for employers and communication as an intervention for supervision – <i>Koen van der Voorn, senior communications advisor, NLA</i> <p>Q&A, and input from participants</p>
	<p>In-depth presentation 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Using risk analysis to tackle undeclared work: prior notifications – <i>Frans Oskam, senior analyst and Wim van der Maas, senior policy advisor, NLA</i> <p>Q&A, and input from participants</p>
16.30	Close of day 1
19.30	Networking dinner at <u>Restaurant 't Goude Hooft</u>

Day 2

09.00 – 09.30	Arrival and welcome
09.30 – 10.00	<p>Thematic presentation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ A migrant workers' perspective on the conditions of work in the Dutch meat sector – <i>Lisa Berntsen, researcher, De Burcht, the Scientific Research Institute for the Dutch Trade Union Movement and lecturer, Tilburg University</i> <p>Q&A</p>
10.00 – 11.00	<p>Host Country presentation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Programmatic approach on temporary work agencies (TWA's): defining risks, making choices and using instruments to tackle undeclared work in the meat industry – <i>Nicolette Kieft, Program Manager, NLA</i> <p>Q&A, and group discussion</p>
11.00 – 11.30	Coffee break
11.30 – 12.30	<p>Presentation from other Member State</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Cross-border cooperation on enforcement in the German-Dutch border regions. A view from the German perspective – <i>Scott Schwickert, Ministry of Regional Identity, Local Government, Building and Digitalisation of the State of North Rhine-Westphalia</i> and <i>Jörg Gierling, Tax office federal state of North Rhine-Westphalia</i> <p>Q&A, and group discussion</p>
12.30 – 13.00	<p>Conclusions / final remarks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Key learning points, good practices ▶ Overall conclusions and next steps
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch
14.00	Close and departure of participants