



## **SHOULD EUROPE CONTINUE WITH THE GALILEO PROGRAMME ?**

Conseil Central de l'Economie, Brussels, Tuesday, September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2007

*The conference will be held in English*

DRAFT AGENDA – August 29th

**Welcome and registration (8:30am to 9am)**

**Introduction (9am to 9:15am):** Laurence Nardon, Head of the Space policy program at Ifri, Paris

**Panel 1 (9:15am to 11:15am): What will Galileo bring to Europe?**

*The first session will assess Galileo's significance for Europe: How does Galileo reinforce Europe's image as a high-tech power? Can it generate a profitable service market down the line? How will the programme boost up-stream and down-stream industries in Europe? Will Galileo provide independent security means for Europe?*

Panellists: Alfredo Roma, Italian government (moderator)

Etelka Barsi-Pataky, member of the European Parliament

Gard Ueland, Kongsberg Seatex, Galileo Services

Giuseppe Viriglio, ESA

Matthias Ruete, Director General Energy and Transport, European Commission

**Coffee Break (11:15am to 11:30)**

**Panel 2 (11:30am to 1:30pm): What will Galileo bring to the end-users?**

*What is the specificity of Galileo compared to other navigation systems? What innovative services have been designed through the Green Book and Pacific exercises? What services will Galileo provide to the end user that other navigation systems do not offer (e.g. guarantee of service)?*

Panellists: Liz Duthie, UK government (moderator)

Mark Dumville, Nottingham Scientific Limited

Jürgen Seybold, Teleconsult Austria

Pascal Campagne, FDC

**Buffet lunch at the Conseil Central de l'Economie (1:30pm to 2:30pm)**

**Panel 3 (2:30pm to 4:30pm): Galileo's business plan after the PPP**

*What are the possible financing options now being discussed by the European governments? How do they impact the business plan of the programme? What is the industry's outlook on the profitability of the programme in the light of the new public financing plan?*

Panellists: Patrick Bellouard, French government (moderator)

Richard Peckham, EADS Astrium

Jean-François Bou, Thalès

David Iron, LogicaCMG

Alain Bories, OHB Technology

**Conclusion (4:30pm to 5pm)**