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# Minutes CC5- 26 September 2019 Webinar 13:00-14:30 CET

# **Participants:**

**Council members** 

Present:

1 Pierre Hupperts Independent Chair, SLCP Council

Ninh Trinh
 Steve Harris
 Anna Burger
 Tamar Hoek
 Darren Chastain
 Target
 Expert
 Solidaridad
 Gap Inc.

7 Baptiste Carriere-Pradal SAC8 Nikhil Hirdaramani Group

9 Melina Tse (Joined half-way) Esquel Enterprises Limited

**Apologies** 

Darrell Doren ELEVATE
 Aleix Busquets Gonzalez C&A

3 Abhishek Bansal Arvind Limited

**SLCP Secretariat** 

1 Janet Mensink

2 Holly Menezes

3 Adam Castle

**Guest Attendees** 

1 Ivo Spauwen (joined for agenda

item 6)

ILO/ Better Work

Agenda item	Pre-reads	Ask to CC
1. Opening and Welcome (5 min)	N/A	
2. Minutes CC4 (5 min)	2. Draft minutes CC4	Approve/amend minutes
<ul><li>3. Governance (5 min):</li><li>Technical committees</li><li>D&amp;O Insurance</li><li>Expert seat</li></ul>	N/A, verbal updates	Be aware on progress
4.SLCP future organizational set up (20 min)	Memo on future organization set up     Plus verbal updates	<ul> <li>Be updated on discussions 2019 SAC Services</li> <li>Approval/amendment possible direction and pre-conditions future SLCP organization set up and actions up items with SAC</li> </ul>



5. 2019 Budget (10 min)	5. Budget update 2019 (and further)	Be aware of financial situation: opportunities and challenges
CHECK IN 13.45		Be aware on progress made
6. Update on SLCP ILO-BW pilot (30 min)	Presentation by ILO-BW	Option for Q&A
If time allows, otherwise: - feedback by email and - move to CC6 for discussion	<ul><li>7. SLCP Operation progress updates: adoption 2019 Operation</li><li>7A. pilot Training 2019</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Be aware on challenges with adoption</li> <li>Approve/amend proposal to start 2019         Training pilot     </li> </ul>
7. SLCP Operation (10 min)		
8. SLCP Council meetings and outreach (5 min)	8. Updated 2019 schedule, sent 10 September (email Janet)	<ul> <li>Council meetings 2019</li> <li>Be aware of meetings (should be in your e-calendars already). Call out:         <ul> <li>CC6: webinar 7 November</li> <li>CC7: in-person 9+10 December confirmed, location Amsterdam</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

## 0. Summary key decisions

- Governance committee to proceed with interviewing current candidate for the expert seat role
- Secretariat to continuously update Council on progress operational discussions SAC short term: services, SLCP email address and 2020 overhead fee
- Approve direction and actions as set forth in memo on direction SLCP future organization structure and collaboration SAC (shared vision/adoption tools, technology (HiggCo) and legal hosting of organization)
- Secretariat to conduct risk assessment Data Hosting&Sharing
- Council Financial Committee to review 2020 budget as soon as possible,
- Secretariat to update Council on 2020 budget (including sensitivity analysis/projections) in CC6 and CC7.
- Secretariat will ensure any possible issues during the ILO/BW Indonesia pilot are quickly fed back to the SLCP Council
- Confirmation 9+10 December Council meeting Amsterdam
- Council members to share any ideas for a Council or other SLCP meeting in Asia in Q1 2020

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## 1. Opening and Welcome

- Chair welcomed Council members & Secretariat
- Chair confirmed number of Council members needed for quorum: a couple of Council members hoping to dial in late which ensure quorum is reached
- Chair reminded Council members that the meeting will follow anti-trust rules
- Reminder that a big focus of this meeting will be on ILO/ BW presentation
- Draft agenda approved by those present

## 2. Minutes CC4

Minutes CC4 approved

#### 3. Governance:

## **Updates**

Technical Committees: Initial work done in preparation for additional Technical Advisory Committee (TAC)

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Sector Expansion. In line with CC4: cautious and phased approach.

• Expert seat: At CC4 Council agreed to recruit an expert with a legal background. Verbal update from Chair: he has a candidate in mind with a legal background and has had an initial conversation with him. The Governance committee will arrange an interview with this individual. Chair welcomed suggestions of other candidates from Council.

#### **Decisions**

Governance committee to proceed with interviewing current candidate for the expert seat role

### 4. SLCP Future Organizational Set-Up

### Context

Ongoing work to explore future organizational set-up scenarios, see memo in pre-read. Since CC4 the working document setting out next steps has been updated and was circulated to Council. Chair is now seeking further input/ feedback from Council on some specific questions set out in the document on the proposed way forward.

#### **Decisions**

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## 5. 2019 Budget (15 min)

#### Context

Executive Director has updated budget forecasts following CC4 budget discussion and provided overview for the Council of the projected impact of achieveing 50, 75 or 100% of the annual target of verified assessments.

## Decisions

- Council Financial Committee to review 2020 budget as soon as possible,
- Secretariat to update Council on 2020 budget (including sensitivity analysis/projections) in CC6 and CC7.

## 6. Update on SLCP ILO-BW pilot

#### Context

Pilot with ILO/ BW in Indonesia is about to begin and in preparation for that, ILO/ BW have been invited to update the SLCP Council on the pilot scope, objectives & planning. Ivo Spauwen from ILO/ BW is therefore dialling into the Council meeting to deliver the ILO/ BW presentation.

## Decisions

 Secretariat will ensure any possible issues during the ILO/BW Indonesia pilot are quickly fed back to the SLCP Council

## 7. SLCP Operations: This agenda item was not covered due to lack of time

### 8. SLCP Council Meetings and Outreach

#### Context

Proposed planning for future meetings:

CC6 – 7 November: Update on budget + 2019 operations

CC7 – 9-10 December: Amsterdam is now confirmed location

Aim is for geographic diversity Council meeting locations. Currently seeking options for Council meetings in Asia in Q1 2020 in the margins of other events: request to Council to share ideas

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#### AOB

- **CCC report:** Janet informed Council that SLCP has been mentioned in a CCC report on social auditing. Secretariat was given the opportunity to review a draft version and fed back some corrections and additions, some of which has been included in the final version. Janet will send link publication.
- **SLCP signatory survey:** Council members made aware on upcoming survey to signatories to check in on SLCP charter commitments. Darren, Tamar and Nikhil to review final draft (sent by Holly)
- Janet asked Council to provide their feedback of 2019 Training pilot (agenda item 7.a) as there was not time to cover this during the meeting today