



Online Event

Monday, 8 June 14:00—16:00 <sup>CEST</sup>

# Towards Effective EU Mandatory Human Rights & Environmental Due Diligence Legislation

As part of the recovery from the current coronavirus crisis, it will be essential to ensure that supply chains become more sustainable. Human rights and environmental due diligence is key to overcoming the serious and ongoing human rights and environmental violations taking place in global supply chains. European Commissioner for Justice Didier Reynders has now announced he will initiate the process towards making such due diligence mandatory.

How should the legislation be shaped to ensure its effectiveness? What are the essential elements in order to mainstream responsible business conduct and protect the environment, rights of workers, communities, and to ensure their access to justice? What lessons can be learned from past and present experiences to promote human rights and fight corporate abuse in global supply chains?

## Keynote speakers:

### Didier Reynders

European Commissioner for Justice

### Hurbertus Heil (TBC)

German Minister of Labour and Social Affairs

### Lara Wolters

MEP Member of the Legal Affairs  
Committee for the S&D group

### Sandra Cossart

Director, Sherpa

### Susanne Stormer

Vice President of Corporate Sustainability, Novo Nordisk

### Godwin Ojo

Director, Friends of the Earth Nigeria

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