Finance for innovation: Towards the ETS Innovation Fund

<u>Agenda</u>

Brussels, 20 January 2017 – Conference Centre Albert Borschette, room 0D

9.30–10.00	Welcome coffee and registration of participants
10.00 – 11.00	Opening session: setting the scene
	Chair of the opening session: Jos Delbeke, Director General for Climate Action, European Commission
	Speakers:
	Introduction by Jos Delbeke: Policy context and state of play of the ETS Directive proposal negotiations
	Wolfgang Eichhammer, Head of Fraunhofer ISI's Competence center for Energy Policy and Energy Markets: Foreseen development of market rationale influencing investments into low carbon innovations
	Mirza Baig, Head of ESG Stewardship, AVIVA Investors: How big and deep is green? Impacts of decarbonisation on asset values and financial markets.
11.00 – 11.30	Coffee break
11.30 – 12.30	Session: Way towards an effective Innovation Fund
	Moderator: Jos Delbeke, Director General Climate Action, European Commission
	Speakers:
	Christoph Kuhn, Director Mandate Management, European Investment Bank: Future of Financing solutions for innovation.
	• Tomas Wyns, i2-4c.eu: A low-carbon future for EU industry – inspirational examples in the EU.
	• Theo Henrar, CEO Tata Steel NL – are game changers in industry still possible?
	• Hans Bünting, COO, Innogy SE – zero carbon energy generation – how to get there?
	Followed by short discussion
12.30 – 13:00	Closing remarks and introduction of the Innovation Fund stakeholders consultation process.
	By Jos Delbeke, Director General Climate Action, European Commission