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Multisectoral social dialogue project “The role of social partners in preventing third-party violence and harassment at work.”

Webinar N°5: Protection and compensation of victims of violence or harassment

Friday 4 March 2022, 10.00-12.30, online

Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to invite you to this fifth webinar on protection and compensation of victims of violence or harassment.

It will take place on **Friday 4 March 2022 from 10h00 to 12h30 CET** – the zoom link will be sent later to all those who register.

The agenda is [attached](#).

The webinar will discuss best ways to protect and compensate victims of violence or harassment at work as well as sanctions at national level against the perpetrators and the extent to which the multisectoral guidelines and ILO Convention 190 provide useful provisions.

Please note that the project research findings fall short of data about specific victim support services or compensation that might have been put in place in your country, so we would be grateful if you could provide us with any information you may have on the subject ahead or during the webinar, thanks.

In the second part, as per usual, we will discuss whether [the multisectoral guidelines](#) adopted in 2011 (in 2018 by central government social partners) are fit for the challenges raised by digitalisation and if not what we should do to improve them.

To register online, please follow this [link](#). **The deadline for registration is 1 March 2022.**



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Interpretation will be provided to and from English, French, Italian, Hungarian and Spanish.

The webinar is the fifth of a series of events as part of our joint project with **CEMR, EPSU, CESI, ETUCE, EUPAE, ETF, UITP, and ETNO** on the role of social partners in preventing third-party violence and harassment at work, which will run until February 2023.

The project will examine and discuss the prevalence, causes and impact of third-party violence and harassment at work in the partners' respective sectors as well as recent legislative and social partners' responses to this major health and safety matter of common concern.

It will aim to assess the application at the national level of the 2010 Multi-sectoral Guidelines to tackle third-party violence and harassment related to work and whether further actions might be needed to make its implementation more effective.

The project including the research carried out by Jane Pillinger will focus on the following sectors: hospitals, prison services, employment services, front line workers in local and regional government, secondary schools, urban public transport as well as telecoms.

Best regards,



Jan Willem Goudriaan
EPSU General Secretary

List of enclosures: Invitation letter and agenda to be found at: [TPV Project - Webinar N°5: Protection and compensation of victims of violence or harassment | EPSU](#)



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