



Regione Umbria
Assemblea legislativa



CALRE 2017 WORKING GROUP
BETTER REGULATION AND POLICY EVALUATION

Workshop
Evaluation of public policies within the European Union and its Member States

Perugia, 19th May 2017
Sala Brugnoli, Palazzo Cesaroni

Over the last few years, an increasing awareness of the importance of public policies evaluation has spread all over Europe, since it is an efficient tool to promote a better regulation strategy at all levels of government. The “Evaluate First” principle makes sure any policy decisions take into due account the lessons from past action.

On 15 December 2015, the European Commission endorsed a new Inter-institutional Agreement (IIA) on Better Law-Making with the European Parliament and Council to improve the quality and the results of European legislation. In this document the three institutions agree to systematically consider the use of evaluation clauses in legislation and take account of the time needed for implementation and for gathering evidence on results and impacts. Moreover the three institutions will consider whether to limit the application of certain legislation to a fixed period of time (sunset clause).

It is very important that Regional Parliaments play an active role in promoting and using the *impact assessment and evaluation tools* to verify the impact of European policies on their territories.

The mission of the first meeting of the CALRE working group on *Better Regulation and Policy Evaluation* is to compare different practices and approaches adopted in Europe to assess ex ante and evaluate ex post the impact of the policies and finding common elements in those experiences.

- Agenda -

9.30 a.m. Registration of Participants

10.00 a.m. Opening Remarks

POLICY EVALUATION AT REGIONAL LEVEL: OBJECTIVES AND TOOLS

Donatella Porzi, *President of the Regional Parliament of Umbria and Chair of the Working Group on Better Regulation and Policy Evaluation*

10.20 a.m.

POLICY EVALUATION AS A VITAL ELEMENT OF THE EU POLICIES IN THE FIELD OF BETTER REGULATION

Prof. Efsio Espa, *Professor of Regulatory impact assessment and Coordinator of the Departments of economics, finance and statistics, Italy's National School of Government*

10.50 a.m.

PARTICIPATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT IN THE EU POLICIES IN THE FIELD OF BETTER REGULATION

Joséphine Rebecca Vanden Broucke, *Head of the European Council Oversight Unit, Directorate for Impact Assessment and European Added Value, EPRS Department, European Parliament*

11.20 a.m.

THE EUROPEAN COMMITTEE OF THE REGIONS STRATEGY FOR ASSESSING TERRITORIAL IMPACTS

Béatrice Taulègne, *Deputy Director, Directorate for Legislative Work, European Committee of the Regions*

11.50 a.m. Open Session

A COMPARISON AMONG EUROPEAN EXPERIENCES

Moderator **Donatella Porzi**, *President of the Regional Parliament of Umbria and Chair of the Working Group on Better Regulation and Policy Evaluation*

EXPOSITION OF THE CONTRIBUTES OF THE CALRE ASSEMBLIES

C.R. Abruzzo, Bayerischer Landtag, Parlamento de Canarias, Parlamento de Cantabria, Parlamento de Catalunya, C.R. Emilia-Romagna, C.R. Friuli Venezia Giulia, Parlamento de Galizia, C.R. Liguria, C.R. Lombardia, C.R. Molise, C.R. Piemonte, Provincia Autonoma di Trento, Scottish Parliament, Vlaams Parlement, Parlement de Wallonie.

PLANNED INTERVENTIONS OF THE CALRE PRESIDENTS

Campania, Friuli Venezia Giulia, Molise, Toscana, Wallonie

12.50 p.m. Conclusions

1.00 p.m. Light Lunch