

CZECH REPUBLIC

Tuesday, December 6th, 2022

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Place: MEDEF
55 avenue Bosquet – Paris 7

French-Czech Business Forum

With

Mr. Petr MERVART

Plenipotentiary of the Minister of Industry
and Trade for Hydrogen Technologies

With the presence of

Mr. Michal FLEISCHMANN

Ambassador of the Czech Republic to France

Co-chaired by

Mr. Stéphane ESPINASSE

Chairman of the France-Czech Republic Business Council of
MEDEF International and Head of Iveco Bus Brand Worldwide

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME V5

8h30 – 8h55 Welcome and registration of attendees

INTRODUCTION

9h00 – 9h10 Introduction by **Mr. Michal FLEISCHMANN**, Ambassador of the Czech Republic to France

9h10 – 9h15 Introduction by **Mr. Stéphane ESPINASSE**, Chairman of the France-Czech Republic Business Council of MEDEF International and Head of Iveco Bus Brand Worldwide

PRESENTATIONS & DISCUSSION

9h15 – 9h30 Speech of **Mr. Petr MERVART**, Plenipotentiary of the Minister of Industry and Trade for Hydrogen Technologies at Ministry of Industry and Trade of the Czech Republic

9h30 – 9h45 Discussion – Q&A session with French companies

9h45-9h55 Presentation of Investment Opportunities in the Czech Republic by **Mr. Martin PARTL**, Director of Business Development – CZECHINVEST Prague

9h55-10h05 Discussion – Q&A session with French companies

10h05-10h15 Presentation of Tax and labor law measures in the Czech Republic by **Ms. Karla RUNDTOVA**, Partner at the Prague office of Kinstellar





10h15-10h25	Discussion – Q&A session with French companies
10h25-10h35	Presentation of support measures for French companies by Mr. Michal MACKO , Managing Director at French Chamber of Commerce in Czech Republic
10h35 – 10h45	Discussion – Q&A session with French companies
10h45 – 11h00	<i>Coffee-break</i>

DECARBONATION AND GREEN HYDROGEN DEVELOPPEMENT IN CZECH REPUBLIC

	<u>Czech Republic’s hydrogen strategy, ecosystem and cooperation perspective</u>
11h00 – 11h15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr. Petr MERVART, Plenipotentiary of the Minister of Industry and Trade for Hydrogen Technologies at Ministry of Industry and Trade - Mr. Philippe BOUCLY, President of France Hydrogène
	<u>Testimony about French private sector experience</u>
11h15 – 11h30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr. Stéphane ESPINASSE, Head of Iveco Bus Brand Worldwide - <i>Mr. / Ms. TBC, Second testimony by French company</i>
11h30 – 11h45	Discussion – Q&A session with French companies

CONCLUSION

11h45 – 11h50	Conclusion words by Mr. Stéphane ESPINASSE , Chairman of the France-Czech Republic Business Council of MEDEF International and President of Iveco France
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NETWORKING COCKTAIL

12h00 – 13h00	Bilateral meetings [12h00-12h30] (Place: Presidents’ Lounge)	Networking cocktail (Place: MEDEF’s hall)
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