



## **COPENHAGEN SCORECARD**

What European business wants to see in an international agreement on climate change

The international climate change conference in Copenhagen will be a decisive meeting for reaching an international post-2012 climate agreement. European companies support action to combat climate change and are themselves committed to doing their share through reducing emissions and investing in the development of modern and innovative technologies. An international agreement must provide for an international level playing field and avoid risking the future competitiveness of European industry.

For **BUSINESSEUROPE** and its member federations, a successful international agreement must:

- ❑ **Establish a shared vision for long-term global action to combat climate change**
- ❑ **Commit all developed countries to equally strong emission reduction targets**
- ❑ **Create a level playing field worldwide for internationally traded goods**
- ❑ **Establish binding emission targets or policies from advanced developing countries by 2020**
- ❑ **Institute a strong universal regime for monitoring, reporting and verification (MRV)**
- ❑ **Protect intellectual property rights from compulsory licensing**
- ❑ **Enable and support the development of global sector approaches**
- ❑ **Ensure that adaptation receives the same recognition as mitigation activities**
- ❑ **Create predictable, long-term and transparent financing mechanisms including a reformed and reinforced Clean Development Mechanism (CDM)**
- ❑ **Include clear measures to address forestry issues**
- ❑ **Establish global solutions for controlling emissions from aviation and shipping**

# BUSINESSEUROPE



MEMBERS ARE 40 LEADING  
NATIONAL BUSINESS FEDERATIONS  
IN 34 EUROPEAN COUNTRIES

 Austria	 Belgium	 Bulgaria	 Croatia	 Cyprus	 Czech Republic
 Denmark	 Denmark	 Estonia	 Finland	 France	 Germany
 Germany	 Greece	 Hungary	 Iceland	 Iceland	 Ireland
 Italy	 Latvia	 Lithuania	 Luxembourg	 Malta	 Montenegro
 Norway	 Poland	 Portugal	 Portugal	 Rep. of San Marino	 Romania
 Slovak Republic	 Slovenia	 Spain	 Sweden	 Switzerland	 Switzerland
 The Netherlands	 Turkey	 Turkey	 United Kingdom		