



THE EU/NZ FTA:

WHAT IS IN IT FOR EU BUSINESSES IN AOTEAROA NEW ZEALAND?

**Come and discuss with
Trade Committee Members of the European Parliament**

Friday 23rd September, 12.30-13.45 Wellington time, by webex

On 30th June 2022, the EU and New Zealand concluded negotiations for a comprehensive, progressive and ambitious Free Trade Agreement. The deal opens up significant new economic opportunities for EU businesses, investors, SMEs and professionals already active in NZ or interested in expanding their activities in NZ. As part of the EU's ratification procedure for Free Trade Agreements, the consent of the European Parliament will be asked before the FTA can enter into force. Nine Trade Committee Members of the European Parliament, led by Trade Committee chair Bernd Lange will visit Aotearoa New Zealand on 22-23 September 2022.

This webinar, hosted by the NZ Europe Business Council and the EU Delegation to New Zealand, will be a rare opportunity for EU businesses active in or interested in New Zealand to ask questions, give feedback and express their interest in the opportunities opened up by the newly concluded FTA. It will also be an invaluable opportunity for Members of the European Parliament to be able to get first-hand information about existing business and trade links between the two jurisdictions and gauge expectations and prospects held by European companies, subsidiaries and importers about the FTA.

*Looking forward to hearing this discussion!
The Organising Team*

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