

European Council: it is time to provide a consistent answer to overcome the crisis

In view of today's European Council on the EU Recovery plan to address the consequences of the COVID-19 crisis, EUROCHAMBRES urges Member States to adopt an effective and coherent strategy to combat the economic crisis following the health crisis. In the document '[Input for the EU Recovery Roadmap / Action Plan](#)', EUROCHAMBRES presents a series of recommendations for European coordinated measures, which can rescue millions of businesses and jobs.

EUROCHAMBRES President Christoph Leitl explained: "The Chambers' proposal reflects the needs of SMEs, which are facing an existential threat and are struggling to withstand the economic crisis. The current dramatic challenge imposes a bold response, without further delay. Member States' decisions today will be crucial for the survival and revival of European businesses. Europe needs to throw life belts to businesses in danger of drowning".

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