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Better Regulation

Reducing 'red tape' for business

European Business Priorities

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Better Regulation in the EU

- Better Regulation for Growth and Jobs
- Lisbon strategy - **Competitiveness**

- Impact Assessments
- Simplification
- VS
- Administrative Burden reduction

- Win-win?
- Inter-institutional aspects



Administrative burden reduction I

- Target
- Action Programme for Reducing Administrative Burdens in the European Union – January 2007
- reduce 25% of burdens by 2012

- Spring Council 2007
- National targets



Administrative burden reduction II

- Measurement of costs
- 13 priority areas
- Standard Cost Model

- Fast-track actions

- High Level Group of Independent Stakeholders on Administrative Burdens (Stoiber Group)



Administrative burden reduction III

- 2009 Communication
- More proposals
- More transparency (policy area)
- Net results
- Extension from 13 priority areas



Administrative burden reduction - future

- All costs
- Entire *acquis*
- Net target - per policy area
- Simplified procedures

