

European Commission sets up Expert Group on automatic exchange of financial account information

(July 11, 2014)

The new Expert Group is supposed to provide advice which will allow the European Commission to assist the European Council and Member States to ensure that EU legislation on automatic exchange of information in direct taxation is effectively aligned and fully compatible with the OECD Global Standard on automatic exchange of financial account information.

European Commission services have launched a call for applications for the new group of experts. The deadline for the submission of applications is August 8, 2014. Members will be appointed for a mandate starting on September 1, 2014 and ending on June 30, 2017.

[Click here](#) to be forwarded to the website of the European Commission (which will open in a new window), where you can find a.o. more information regarding the conditions and procedure.

http://ec.europa.eu/taxation_customs/taxation/tax_cooperation/mutual_assistance/financial_account_information/index_en.htm