

PRINCIPLE 14 Minimum income

Actions aimed at setting a minimum floor of rights in the EU, a level playing field in the Single Market	Actions aimed at establishing upward convergence in living and working conditions
<p>1. Investigate characteristics and performance of national systems in order to define the characteristics of a European Framework Directive on an adequate minimum income to combat poverty and social exclusion embedded within a broader EU; national policy response to active inclusion, social cohesion and equality.</p> <p>2. An instrument to define and design the functions of a minimum income. This includes defining a basket of goods that should serve as a parameter for setting living income levels in order to complement or replace other sources of income or ensure a subsistence income.</p>	<p>1. In connection with SDG 1 and, as part of the European Semester, Anti-Poverty Action Plan as in Principle 11.</p> <p>2. Elaborate a Social Dialogue framework for social partners and governments to assess coverage, adequacy and effectiveness of Minimum Income Schemes in combination with social benefit (in cash and kind) and activation policies; focus on conditionality.</p>