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Dear all,

Today, we had a meeting with Airbnb. Please find below a short recap from what was discussed.

**Meeting Airbnb on 05.09.2016**

Airbnb: [REDACTED], and [REDACTED], Associate Legal Counsel  
COM: [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED]

Main points of the discussion:

- To inform us that EHHA is about to file a formal complaint in Sept (possibly around 27 Sept - date of their General Assembly) covering Barcelona, Berlin, Paris and Brussels. They are ready to file it formally ASAP.
- [REDACTED]
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- [REDACTED]
- Airbnb CEO will meet EB in the US, looking for positive headline in line with the COM Communication on collab economy
- EUCoLab will send letters to Slovak Presidency asking to support collab economy in the SK Presidency's Council Conclusions.
- Airbnb positive to gather data from its users for the COM. However, underlines concerns related to data privacy.
- Airbnb in contact with EUROSTAT to establish a regular exchange of data which should be available next year.
- Airbnb in contact with Amsterdam government to sign a new memorandum. Enforcement of rules needs to be clarified.

- Airbnb welcomes the guidance but wonders how COM assesses authorisation and registration obligations. COM replied that this needs to be assessed on a case-by-case basis.

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