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Public Domain Day Celebration: makers & reuse of creative works Hosted by MEP Julia Reda

25th 14:00 / Members Salon, European 2016 / 12.30

Dear colleagues,

It is my pleasure to invite you to lunch in the Members Salon on January 25th 2016, between 12:30 and 14:00. During lunch we will celebrate Public Domain Day, which falls on the first day of the new year and marks the term of copyright protection on creative works.

This new state for cultural works means that they are now free to be reused for new cultural, commercial, educational and innovative practices. We will talk about the value of the public domain in fostering Europe's innovation

capacities, by inviting creators to share how they use public domain works in their businesses and approach copyright.

Programme Introductory remarks by Ms Julia Reda (MEP, The Greens EFA - Germany) | Moderation by Mr Alek Tarkowski (Centrum Cyfrowe / COMMUNIA) | Closing remarks by Mr Paul Keller (Kennisland / COMMUNIA).

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Please RSVP by January 15th to Lisette Kalshoven: lk@kl.nl

Kind regards, Julia Reda, MEP

About the organisers: **COMMUNIA** is an European association of organisations working to foster, strengthen and enrich the Public Domain.