

**An integral methodology to develop an informative-led and community  
orientated policy to tackle domestic burglary  
(A methodology to tackle burglary)**

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First focus group

Brussels, 28th march 2014



## ▶ **Presentation project**

- **started at the beginning of October 2013**
- **oriented towards the development of a methodology to have sway over domestic burglary**
- **The entire security chain, from prevention over police measures to judicial measures, is taken into account**

## ▶ Deliverables

- **These goals take shape in a series of methods:**
  - **A cost-benefit analysis**
  - **Collecting and evaluating different best practices**
  - **Joining the expertise and reflections from focus groups with domestic and foreign experts**
  - **Using the interactive methodology of “World Cafés”**

## ► **Output**

- **A methodological step-by-step plan (which will include a scheme of the different above-mentioned methods)**
- **An action plan with concrete proposals as good practices**
- **A conference aimed at presenting the results**
- **A webpage which includes all the expertise**

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**Two themes:**

- **mobile criminal groups as seen from an integral perspective**
- **new technologies regarding domestic burglary.**

# **New technologies regarding domestic burglary – Theses**

- 1. Introducing new technologies must be tested according to impact criteria for the market.**

**What are the advantages and drawbacks you have experienced with which techniques?**

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**2. The implementation of a camera system which is to increase among others the visibility of burglaries, but also other forms of crime (and which therefore also brings about a preventive effect), provides a false feeling of security, but does not actually lower the objective security.**

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- 3. The police are not able to cope with the new technological revolution as they do not know which position to take up on privacy-control in crime dilemma.**



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**4. - Which legal standards or lines of force have to be woven into the legislation to safeguard a minimum of citizens' rights?**

**- Which policy objectives should the police set for themselves with regard to the development of a new technological action policy?**

**- How can they make this materialize?**

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**5. Impact factors have to take sociological effects into account.**

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