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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: Working Party on Technical Harmonisation (Standardisation)

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Date: 23 October 2020

Time: 10.00

Venue: Video conference

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Introduction, mission-statement and scope of the Working Party
3. Information from the Presidency
 - a) *Programme and progress of the German Council Presidency regarding standardization*
 - b) *Summary of the European Virtual Workshop “Empowering European Standardization for a Successful Green Deal” on 16 September 2020, Berlin*
4. Information from the Commission on the coming Standardization Strategy and the revision of the Blue Guide

5. Empowering the European Standardization system
Presentation and discussion of the Presidency background paper (WK 11236/2020 INIT), with input by:
 - a) *The view of the European Standards Organizations CEN, CENELEC and ETSI (Ms. Elena Santiago Cid, Director General CEN-CENELEC); Mr. Luis Jorge Romero (ETSI Director General)*
 - b) *An industry perspective (Mr. Martynas Barysas, Director for Internal Market, Business Europe)*
6. Any other business

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