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**NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

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Subject: Working Party on the Environment

Date: 25 February 2013 (10h00 - morning only)

27 February 2013 (10h00)

28 February 2013 (10h00)

1 March 2013 (10h00)

Venue: COUNCIL

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**MONDAY, 25 FEBRUARY 2013 (morning only)**

**10h00:**

1. Recommendation from the Commission to the Council to authorise the Commission to open negotiations on linking the EU emissions trading scheme with an emissions trading system in Australia
    - Examination of the draft Council decision
- 6702/13 ENV 137 ENER 49 IND 40 COMPET 102 MI 126 ECOFIN 129 TRANS 72 AUS 2  
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**11h15:**

2. Proposal for a decision of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2003/87/EC clarifying provisions on the timing of auctions of greenhouse gas allowances
  - Examination of the Presidency text  
*6705/13 ENV 138 ENER 50 IND 41 COMPET 103 MI 127 ECOFIN 131 TRANS 73 AVIATION 28 CODEC 388*
3. Any other business

**WEDNESDAY, 27 FEBRUARY 2013 (10h00)**

1. Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council on a General Union Environment Action Programme to 2020 "Living well, within the limits of our planet"
  - Presidency revised text  
= Priority objectives 7, 8 and 9 + introductory paragraphs, recitals and articles  
*6097/13 ENV 90 DEVGEN 34 ECO 18 SAN 39 PECHE 45 AGRI 65 IND 31 CHIMIE 12 ENER 29 RECH 31 TRANS 48 CODEC 252*
2. Any other business

**THURSDAY, 28 FEBRUARY 2013 (10h00)**

1. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on **ship recycling**
  - Examination of the Presidency compromise text  
*6690/13 ENV 134 MAR 20 TRANS 71 COMAR 9 CODEC 383*
2. Any other business

**FRIDAY, 1 MARCH 2013**

**10h00:**

1. Proposal for a decision of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2003/87/EC clarifying provisions on the timing of auctions of greenhouse gas allowances
  - Preparation of the first informal trilogue  
*6706/13 ENV 139 ENER 51 IND 42 COMPET 104 MI 128 ECOFIN 132 TRANS 74 AVIATION 29 CODEC 389*

**11h30:**

2. Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council derogating temporarily from Directive 2003/87/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a scheme for **greenhouse gas emission allowance trading within the Community**
  - Preparation of the first informal trilogue  
*6709/13 ENV 140 AVIATION 30 MI 129 IND 43 ENER 52 CODEC 390*

**15h00:**

3. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the protection of species of wild fauna and flora by regulating trade therein (Recast)
    - Examination of the Commission proposal  
*12875/12 ENV 641 PECHE 294 WTO 277 + COR 1*
  4. Any other business
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