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PROVISIONAL AGENDA

for:	2443rd	MEETING OF THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE (Part 1)
date:	Wednesday 6 March 2013 (10:00)	

1. Adoption of the agenda

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2. Replies to written questions put to the Council by Members of the European Parliament (+)

- (a) n° E-010625/2012 put by Willy Meyer
"UN Resolution on the embargo on Cuba"
6836/13 PE-QE 68
- (b) n° E-000088/2013 put by Daniël van der Stoep
"Suspension of Greece's voting rights"
6290/13 PE-QE 52
- (c) n° E-000377/2013 put by Vilija Blinkevičiūtė
"Protection of workers' rights and combating discrimination"
6260/13 PE-QE 49
- (d) n° E-000378/2013 put by Vilija Blinkevičiūtė
"Anti-discrimination Directive and the future of negotiations"
6261/13 PE-QE 50
- (e) n° E-000433/2013 put by Martin Ehrenhauser
"Commission tendering procedure on PIUs"
6173/13 PE-QE 46
- (f) n° E-000453/2013 put by Andrew Henry William Brons
"Public image of the President of the European Council"
6286/13 PE-QE 51

3. Proposal for a Council Decision amending Council Decision 2000/125/EC of 31 January 2000 concerning the conclusion of the Agreement concerning the establishing of global technical regulations for wheeled vehicles, equipment and parts which can be fitted and/or be used on wheeled vehicles ("Parallel Agreement")
 - Request by the Council for the consent of the European Parliament
 - 5781/13 ECO 10 ENT 19 MI 48 UNECE 2 OC 35
 - 5975/13 ECO 16 ENT 34 MI 74 UNECE 4 OC 44

4. Proposal for a Council Decision amending Decision 97/836/EC with a view to accession by the European Community to the Agreement of the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe concerning the adoption of uniform technical prescriptions for wheeled vehicles, equipment and parts which can be fitted to and/or be used on wheeled vehicles and the conditions for reciprocal recognition of approvals granted on the basis of these prescriptions ("Revised 1958 Agreement")
 - Request by the Council for the consent of the European Parliament
 - 5783/13 ECO 11 ENT 20 MI 49 UNECE 3 OC 36
 - + COR 1 (ro)
 - 5978/13 ECO 17 ENT 35 MI 76 UNECE 5 OC 45

5. Commission Decision establishing the ecological criteria for the award of the EU Ecolabel for sanitary tap ware
 - Decision not to oppose adoption
 - 5668/13 ENV 57
 - 6559/13 ENV 124

6. Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of the Cooperation Agreement on a civil Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS) between the European Community and its Member States and Ukraine
 - Adoption
 - 6373/13 TRANS 62 MAR 15 AVIATION 18 RELEX 125 ESPACE 10 NIS 5
OC 58
 - 6549/13 TRANS 66 MAR 18 AVIATION 22 RELEX 146 ESPACE 12 NIS 7
OC 74

7. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on safety of offshore oil and gas prospection, exploration and production activities (**First reading**) (**Legislative deliberation**)
 - Approval of the final compromise text (°)
 - 6904/13 ENER 64 ENV 156 MARE 6 COMAR 10 PROCIV 30 CODEC 446
 - + ADD 1

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8. **Horizon 2020**
 - (a) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and the Council establishing Horizon 2020 - The **Framework Programme for Research and Innovation** (2014-2020) **(First reading) (Legislative deliberation)**
 - (b) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down the **rules for participation** and dissemination in 'Horizon 2020' – The Framework Programme for Research and Innovation (2014-2020) **(First reading) (Legislative deliberation)**
 - Presidency briefing on the outcome of the informal trilogue

9. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down **Union Customs Code (First reading) (Legislative deliberation)**
 - Presidency briefing on the outcome of the informal trilogue

10. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the **Connecting Europe Facility (First reading) (Legislative deliberation)**
 - Preparation for the informal trilogue
6797/13 TRANS 77 FIN 96 CADREFIN 42 POLGEN 27 REGIO 25 ENER 56
TELECOM 31 COMPET 111 MI 141 ECO 29 CODEC 414

11. 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 **(First reading) (Legislative deliberation)**
 - Preparation for the informal trilogue
6918/13 ENV 158 AVIATION 33 MI 159 IND 43 ENER 65 CODEC 449

12. **Preparation** of the Council meeting (**Environment**) on 21 March 2013

1. Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2011/92/EU on the **assessment of the effects of certain public and private projects on the environment (First reading)** (*Legislative deliberation*)
 - Orientation debate
 - 15627/12 ENV 825 CODEC 2533 (x)
 - + REV 1 (bg) (x)
 - 6853/13 ENV 151 CODEC 428

2. Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 98/70/EC relating to the **quality of petrol and diesel fuels** and amending Directive 2009/28/EC on the promotion of the use of energy from renewable sources (**First reading**) (*Legislative deliberation*)
 - Orientation debate
 - 15189/12 ENV 789 ENER 417 ENT 257 TRANS 346 AGRI 686
POLGEN 170 CODEC 2432 (x)
 - 6854/13 ENV 152 ENER 63 ENT 61 TRANS 80 AGRI 116
POLGEN 30 CODEC 429

3. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on "**Access to Genetic Resources** and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization in the Union" (**First reading**) (*Legislative deliberation*)
 - Orientation debate
 - 14641/12 ENV 750 AGRI 650 WTO 321 PI 116 DEVGEN 272 MI 604
SAN 221 CODEC 2335 (x)
 - + COR 1 (x)
 - 6889/13 ENV 154 AGRI 122 WTO 52 PI 34 DEVGEN 56 MI 154 SAN 73
CODEC 441

4. **REACH** (*Non-legislative activity*)
 - (a) Report on the Review of the REACH Regulation
 - (b) Communication from the Commission on "Second Regulatory Review on Nanomaterials"
 - Presentation by the Commission
 - Exchange of views
 - 6916/13 ENV 157 COMPET 116 IND 48 RECH 48 ECOFIN 157 ECO 32
SOC 138 SAN 76 CONSOM 28 MI 158 CHIMIE 20 ENT 65

13. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on establishing the **Creative Europe Programme (First reading) (Legislative deliberation)**

- Preparation for the informal trilogue

6855/13 AUDIO 11 CULT 17 CADREFIN 45 RELEX 171 CODEC 430

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- Any other business

(a) European Council follow-up (Coreper 1 matters)/SMA

- Information from the Presidency

(b) Implementation of the European Semester (Synthesis report)

- Information from the Presidency

6754/13 CO EUR-PREP 11 POLGEN 26 ENV 143 ENER 54 MI 135 RECH 46

COMPET 107 IND 45 ECOFIN 144 SOC 121 EDUC 59 TELECOM 30

⁽¹⁾ These items will be considered by the Mertens Group on 5 March 2013.

(+) Item which may be adopted by silence procedure, in accordance with Article 12 (2) of the Council's Rules of Procedure.

(°) Item on which a procedural decision may be adopted by COREPER, in accordance with Article 19 (7) of the Council's Rules of Procedure.

(x) Document not available in the meeting room.