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**NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

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Subject: Meeting of the Working Group on Human Rights [COHOM]  
Date: 14-15 February 2012  
Venue: COUNCIL  
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Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

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The Chair, under the authority of the High Representative, proposes the following agenda:

**Tuesday, 14 February (14:30-18:00)**

- 1. EIDHR Regulation**
- 2. United Nations Matters**
  - a) Preparation the 19th session of the Human Rights Council (HRC 19)
  - b) Draft Council Conclusions on HRC 19
  - c) Middle East conflict and related human rights issues at the HRC
  - d) Right to development

**Wednesday, 15 February (09:00-13:00)**

- 3. Rights of the Child**
- 4. Review of EU Human Rights Policy**
- 5. EU Annual Report on Human Rights**
- 6. Human Rights Dialogues and Consultations**
  - a) Human Rights consultations with Russia
  - b) Republic of Korea

**Wednesday, 15 February (14:30-17:00)**

- 7. Human Rights Defenders**
- 8. Programme of Work of COHOM 2012**
- 9. Evaluation of EU Human Rights Policy**
- 10. Standing items**
  - a) Death penalty in Iraq

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**Additional Meetings**

Task force on freedom of religion or belief, chair Charles-Michel Geurts: (Tuesday, 14 February, 13:00 – 14:20- Presidency Room 4, level 50 of the Justus Lipsius Building).

Task force on the death penalty, chair Maria Lensu: (Wednesday, 15 February, 13:00 – 14:30- Presidency Room 4, level 50 of the Justus Lipsius Building).