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## **COMMUNICATION**

### **NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

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Subject: 3485th meeting of the COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION  
(Competitiveness (**Internal Market, Industry**, Research and Space))

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Date: 29 September 2016

Time: 10.00

Venue: COUNCIL

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Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

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1. Adoption of the agenda

#### **Legislative deliberations**

**(Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)**

2. (poss.) Approval of the list of "A" items

#### **Non-legislative activities**

3. (poss.) Approval of the list of "A" items

4. Competitiveness "check-up": State of play of the real economy and mainstreaming competitiveness
  - = Presentation by the Commission
  - = Exchange of views
  
5. Communication from the Commission: European agenda for the collaborative economy
  - = Presentation by the Commission
  - = Policy debate

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6. State of play of the European steel industry
  - = Information from the Commission
  - = Exchange of views

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**Any other business**

7. a) Standardisation Package
  - = Presentation by the Commission
  
- b) Development of an ambitious industry policy in Europe
  - = Information from the Belgian delegation
  
- c) Europe's transition to a low-carbon economy
  - = Presentation by the Commission
  
- d) Unitary Patent and Unified Patent Court
  - = Information from the Presidency on the state of play
  
- e) Outcome of the conference "Finding the balance: Solutions in the debate surrounding patents and plant breeders' rights" (Brussels, 18 May 2016)
  - = Information from the Netherlands delegation

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