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EMPL 391  
SOC 589  
SAN 345  
CONSOM 232

## PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: 3489th meeting of the COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION  
(**Employment, Social Policy**, Health and Consumer Affairs)

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Date: 13 October 2016

Time: 9.30

Venue: Luxembourg

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1. Adoption of the agenda

### Non-legislative activities

2. Approval of the list of "A" items  
12905/16 PTS A 74

### Legislative deliberations

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

3. Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2004/37/EC on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to carcinogens or mutagens at work (**First reading**)  
Interinstitutional file: 2016/0130 (COD)  
= General approach  
8962/16 SOC 255 EMPL 158 SAN 187 IA 23 CODEC 666 (x)  
+ REV 1 (mt) (x)  
+ ADD 1 (x)  
12883/16 SOC 590 EMPL392 SAN346 IA81 CODEC1381

## Non-legislative activities

(Public debate in accordance with Article 8(2) of the Council's Rules of Procedure for items 5 to 10)

4. Proposal for a Council Directive implementing the Agreement concluded between the General Confederation of Agricultural Cooperatives in the European Union (COGECA), the European Transport Workers' Federation (ETF) and the Association of National Organisations of Fishing Enterprises (EUROPÊCHE) of 21 May 2012 as amended on 8 May 2013 concerning the implementation of the Work in Fishing Convention, 2007 of the International Labour Organisation (\*)

(Legal basis proposed by the Commission: Article 155(2) of the TFEU)

= Political agreement

(Public deliberation in accordance with Article 8(1) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)

8535/16 SOC 214 EMPL 131 PECHE 150

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+ ADD 3

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12713/16 SOC 577 EMPL381 PECHE 346 IA78

+ ADD 1

+ ADD 2

5. New Skills Agenda for Europe

= Policy debate

12483/16 SOC 550 EMPL 361 ECOFIN 823 EDUC 292 JEUN 62

- a) Opinion of the Employment Committee (EMCO)

= Endorsement

12485/16 SOC 551 EMPL 362 ECOFIN 824 EDUC 293 JEUN 63

- b) Commission proposal on the revision of the Europass framework for the provision of better services for skills and qualifications

= Presentation by the Commission

6. European Semester 2017: Contributions in view of the Autumn Economic Package

- a) Employment Performance Monitor (EPM) - Report on key employment challenges and main messages from EMCO

12486/16 SOC 552 EMPL 363 ECOFIN 825 EDUC 294

12488/16 SOC 553 EMPL 364 ECOFIN 826 EDUC 295

12490/16 SOC 554 EMPL 365 ECOFIN 827 EDUC 296

- b) Social Protection Performance Monitor (SPPM) - Report on key social challenges and main messages from SPC

12606/16 SOC 565 EMPL 375 ECOFIN 837 EDUC 302

+ COR 1 (de)

12607/16 SOC 566 EMPL 376 ECOFIN 838 EDUC 303

= Endorsement

7. Follow-up of specific employment-related issues
- a) Communication from the Commission on the Youth Guarantee and Youth Employment Initiative three years on
    - = Presentation
    - 12749/16 EMPL 386 SOC 583 ECOFIN 860 EDUC 312 JEUN 68
  - b) Implementation of the Council Recommendation on Long-Term Unemployment (LTU)
    - = Exchange of views
    - 12492/1/16 SOC 555 EMPL 366 ECOFIN 828 EDUC 297 REV 1
    - = Endorsement of the EMCO key messages on the integrating of long term unemployed into the labour market
    - 12493/16 SOC 556 EMPL 367 ECOFIN 829 EDUC 298
    - + ADD 1
    - + ADD 2
  - c) Public Employment Services (PES) Network: Bench-learning
    - = Presentation by the Commission and the Vice-Chair of the PES Network
    - 12498/16 SOC 557 EMPL 368 ECOFIN 830 EDUC 299
8. Social dialogue
- a) Tripartite Social Summit (Brussels, 19 October 2016)
    - = Preparation
  - b) Joint statement on "A new start for a strong social dialogue"
    - = State of play
    - 12111/16 SOC 511 EMPL 335
9. Draft Council conclusions on the "Report from the European Court of Auditors on EU policy initiatives and financial support for Roma integration"
- = Adoption
  - 12225/16 FIN 559 SOC 526 EMPL 347 ANTIDISCRIM 55 FSTR 60
  - FC 51 REGIO 75
10. European Pillar of Social Rights: state of play and views on the way forward
- = Endorsement of the joint opinion of the EMCO and the SPC
  - 12605/16 SOC 564 EMPL 374 ECOFIN 836

**Any other business**

**(Public debate in accordance with Article 8(2) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)**

11. a) Current files
- i) Blue Card for highly skilled employment
  - ii) Action Plan on the integration of third country nationals  
12348/16 SOC 538 MIGR 161
  - iii) Collaborative Economy  
= Information from the Presidency
- b) Collective bargaining and the future of work: update on the negotiations process on labour market reforms in Greece  
= Information from the Greek delegation  
12715/16 SOC 578 EMPL 382 ECOFIN 855

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(\*) Item on which a vote may be requested.

(x) Document not available in the meeting room.