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**COMMUNICATION**

**NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

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Subject: "Law of the Sea" Working Party

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Date: 31 October 2016  
Time: 10.00  
Venue: COUNCIL  
JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING  
Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

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1. Adoption of the agenda
  
2. Development of an internationally legally-binding instrument under the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea on the conservation and sustainable use of marine biological diversity of areas beyond national jurisdiction
  - a) *Intersessional written submission to the Preparatory Committee*
  
  - b) *Composition of the negotiating team*
  
3. UN General Assembly resolution *Oceans and law of the sea*
  - a) *Preparation for the 2<sup>nd</sup> round of informal consultations*

#### 4. AOB

NB: Delegates requiring day badges to attend meetings are invited to send their names by fax or e-mail to the General Secretariat, for the attention of Ms. Petra Mahnic or Ms. Alena Petrikovicova (fax 0032 2 281 9360) or e-mail (secretariat.COMAR@consilium.europa.eu) by **12:00 on Thursday, 27 October 2016.**

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