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## **COMMUNICATION**

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

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Subject: Terrorism Working Party (TWP)

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Date: 12 September 2017

Time: 10.00

Venue: COUNCIL  
JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING  
Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

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Please note the Council's Security Regulations outlined on page 3, including the need to register all the delegates who will participate in the classified item of the meeting.

- 1. Adoption of the agenda**
- 2. Information by the Presidency**

### **3. Threat assessments**

- Presentation by INTCEN of the six-monthly assessment of the Islamist terrorist threat (*EU CONFIDENTIAL*)

EEAS (2017) 10362 (to be issued)

- Presentation by Europol: An outlook on developments in jihadist terrorism (*EU RESTRICTED*)

11826/17 (to be issued)

- Discussion and exchange of views on the basis of the Presidency paper 11822/17 (to be issued) of how to strengthen cooperation on counterterrorism threat analysis

### **4. Update on the Western Balkans Counter Terrorism initiative by the implementing agency, the Geneva Centre for the Democratic Control of Armed Forces**

### **5. Recent terrorism-related incidents**

- Information from Member States

### **6. Information on counter-terrorism activities**

- Commission
- Europol
- EEAS
- CTC

### **7. AOB**

**15:00: JOINT MEETING between the TWP and the LAW ENFORCEMENT WORKING PARTY (meeting room 50.1)**

**1. Adoption of the agenda**

**2. Strengthening the ATLAS network to enhance cooperation between the special intervention units of the Member States in crisis situations**

11828/17 (to be issued)

- Introduction of the initiative by the Presidency
- Presentations by ATLAS, Europol and the Commission
- Initial discussion on strengthening the ATLAS network

**3. AOB**

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**Note:** This meeting will cover information classified EU CONFIDENTIAL - please see **item 3** of the agenda. In accordance with the Council's security rules, all delegates present at the discussion of such items must have a need-to-know and a valid Personnel Security Clearance for access to EU classified information to the appropriate level.

By **7 September 2017**, delegations are requested:

- to forward to the attention of **twg@consilium.europa.eu** for **TWP delegations** the following details of their delegates taking part in the meeting: the full surname(s), given name, nationality, date of birth and name of the organisation/institution sending them to the meeting;
- i) to request their NSAs or other competent security authority to forward to the attention of the GSC Security Office (**security.clearances@consilium.europa.eu**, or fax number +32 2 281 5081), a Personnel Security Clearance Certificate (PSCC) for the delegates concerned who are not already in the Security Clearances register, together with a cover letter mentioning the meeting to be attended. Please note that certificates sent by the delegates themselves will not be accepted.

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- NB: Delegates requiring day badges to attend meetings should consult document **14387/1/12 REV 1** on how to obtain them.