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## **COMMUNICATION**

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

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Subject: 3564th meeting of the COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION  
(Justice and Home Affairs)

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Date: 12 and 13 October 2017

Time: 10.00, 10.00

Venue: European Convention Center Luxembourg (ECCL)  
4, Place de l'Europe  
1499 LUXEMBOURG

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#### **A. THURSDAY 12 OCTOBER 2017 (10.00)**

##### **JUSTICE**

- Adoption of the agenda

##### **Legislative deliberations**

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

- (poss.) Approval of the list of "A" items
- **EPPO:** Council Regulation implementing enhanced cooperation on the establishment of the European Public Prosecutor's Office  
= Adoption

- **Freezing and Confiscation:** Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the mutual recognition of freezing and confiscation orders (**First reading**)
  - = Policy debate
- **ECRIS-TCN:** Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Council Framework Decision 2009/315/JHA, as regards the exchange of information on third country nationals and as regards the European Criminal Records Information System (ECRIS) and replacing Council Decision 2009/316/JHA (**First reading**)
  - = Policy debate
- Any other business
  - = Information from the Presidency on current legislative proposals

#### Non-legislative activities

- Approval of the list of "A" items
- **Fundamental Rights:**
  - a) Exchange of views with the Director of the Fundamental Rights Agency (FRA)
  - b) Draft Council conclusions on the application of the EU Charter on Fundamental Rights in 2016
    - = Adoption
- Any other business

### **B. THURSDAY 12 OCTOBER 2017 (approx. 15.00)**

#### **JOINT SESSION JUSTICE AND HOME AFFAIRS**

#### Non-legislative activities

- **Criminal Justice in cyberspace**
  - = Progress report/State of play
- **Mid-term review of the JHA strategic guidelines**
  - = Exchange of views
- Any other business

## C. FRIDAY 13 OCTOBER 2017 (10.00)

### HOME AFFAIRS

#### Legislative deliberations

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

- **(poss.) Schengen Information System (SIS)**
  - a) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the use of the Schengen Information System **for the return of illegally staying third-country nationals (First reading)**
  - b) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the establishment, operation and use of the Schengen Information System (SIS) **in the field of border checks**, amending Regulation (EU) No 515/2014 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1987/2006 **(First reading)**
  - c) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the establishment, operation and use of the Schengen Information System (SIS) **in the field of police cooperation and judicial cooperation in criminal matters**, amending Regulation (EU) No 515/2014 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1986/2006, Council Decision 2007/533/JHA and Commission Decision 2010/261/EU **(First reading)**
  - = Policy debate/Progress report
  
- **Reform of the Common European Asylum System and Resettlement**
  - a) **Dublin:** Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the criteria and mechanisms for determining the Member State responsible for examining an application for international protection lodged in one of the Member States by a third-country national or a stateless person (recast) **(First reading)**
  - b) **Reception conditions:** Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down standards for the reception of applicants for international protection (recast) **(First reading)**
  - c) **Qualification:** Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on standards for the qualification of third-country nationals or stateless persons as beneficiaries of international protection, for a uniform status for refugees or for persons eligible for subsidiary protection and for the content of the protection granted and amending Council Directive 2003/109/EC of 25 November 2003 concerning the status of third-country nationals who are long-term residents **(First reading)**
  - d) **Procedure:** Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a common procedure for international protection in the Union and repealing Directive 2013/32/EU **(First reading)**

- e) **Eurodac:** Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the establishment of 'Eurodac' for the comparison of fingerprints for the effective application of [Regulation (EU) No 604/2013 establishing the criteria and mechanisms for determining the Member State responsible for examining an application for international protection lodged in one of the Member States by a third-country national or a stateless person], for identifying an illegally staying third-country national or stateless person and on requests for the comparison with Eurodac data by Member States' law enforcement authorities and Europol for law enforcement purposes (recast) **(First reading)**
  - f) **EASO:** Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the European Union Agency for Asylum and repealing Regulation (EU) No 439/2010 **(First reading)**
  - g) **Resettlement Framework:** Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a Union Resettlement Framework and amending Regulation (EU) No 516/2014 of the European Parliament and the Council **(First reading)**
  - = Progress report
- Any other business
    - = Information from the Presidency on current legislative proposals

### Non-legislative activities

- **Migration:** state of play<sup>1</sup>
  - = Exchange of views/Policy debate
- **Counter-terrorism**<sup>1</sup>
  - = Exchange of views **(in restricted session)**
- Any other business
  - a) **EURES-CRIM:** project on return of criminal third country nationals  
**RefuReturn:** project on exchange of information about refugees who return temporarily to their country of origin<sup>1</sup>
    - = Information from Belgium
  - b) **IISG:** Implementation of the Council conclusions on Integrative Internal Security Governance
    - = Presentation by Slovenia

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<sup>1</sup> Exceptionally, in the presence of the Schengen Associated States.

**In the margins of the Council:**

**Meeting of the MIXED COMMITTEE (FRIDAY 13 OCTOBER 2017 10.00)**

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