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NOTE

From: General Secretariat of the Council
To: Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
Subject: European Council (23 and 24 October 2014)
- Annotated draft agenda

In accordance with Article 3(1) of the Rules of Procedure of the European Council, the President of the European Council, in close cooperation with the member of the European Council representing the Member State holding the six-monthly Presidency of the Council and with the President of the Commission, shall submit an annotated draft agenda to the General Affairs Council.

Delegations will find attached the annotated draft agenda submitted by the President of the European Council, setting out the main items the European Council is expected to address on the above mentioned meeting.

In the light of the final discussion to be held by the General Affairs Council within the five days preceding the European Council meeting, the President of the European Council shall draw up the provisional agenda.

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I. CLIMATE AND ENERGY

In accordance with its conclusions of 20-21 March 2014 and 26-27 June 2014, the European Council will take a final decision on the new climate and energy policy framework, including on further measures aimed at enhancing Europe's energy security and on specific 2030 interconnection objectives.

II. ECONOMIC ISSUES

The European Council will address the economic situation in the European Union on the basis of a presentation by the Commission and work undertaken by the Council.

III. OTHER ITEMS

The European Council may also address specific external relations issues in the light of developments on the international scene.

[*poss.* Subject to a vote of consent by the European Parliament on the President, the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and the other members of the Commission as a body, the European Council will adopt a decision appointing the European Commission.]
