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Contact:	christian.froik@consilium.europa.eu
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Subject:	Ministerial Dialogue with EFTA countries
Date:	10 November 2015
Time:	8.30
Venue:	COUNCIL JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

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The Presidency has the pleasure of inviting you to the annual meeting of the EU and EFTA Ministers of Finance and Economy to be held on **10 November 2015 at 08:30-10:30AM** in the Justus Lipsius building in Brussels.

The meeting will be held in conference room 50.1. The format in the meeting room will be four delegates (1 + 2 + 1) and one delegate in the listening room 50.2.

Full EU interpretation will be provided.

Badges:

For those arriving by car, upon request at the VIP entrance (110 rue Froissart), the badges will be available from Friday 6 November 2015 at 1:00 PM.

For other participants, badges will be available at the main entrance accreditation desk of the Justus Lipsius building also from Friday 6 November 2015 at 1:00 PM.

Attendees:

Participants from Member States, the European Commission and the European Central Bank can accredit themselves via [protocole.participants@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:protocole.participants@consilium.europa.eu) and copy to:

[dgg1a.economic-policy@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:dgg1a.economic-policy@consilium.europa.eu)

EFTA Delegations are requested to send the complete **list of their participants** to the General Secretariat of the Council at the latest on **Wednesday 4 November 2015 at noon to:**

[dgg1a.economicpolicy@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:dgg1a.economicpolicy@consilium.europa.eu) and [protocole.participants@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:protocole.participants@consilium.europa.eu)

Information required:

1. **Full name, nationality and official position of participants;**
2. **Drivers (name and nationality) if arriving via VIP entrance;**
3. **Vehicles (mark, model, registration number) if arriving via VIP entrance;**
4. **Where appropriate, Name and function of the person who will be responsible for collecting the badges.**

Encl: Invitation letter from the Luxembourg Presidency

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13 October 2015

Dear Colleague,

I have the pleasure of inviting you to the Meeting of the EU and EFTA Ministers of Finance and Economy. It will take place from 8h30 to 10h30 on 10 November 2015 in Brussels in conjunction with the ECOFIN Council meeting.

This EU-EFTA meeting will focus on economic growth and structural reforms. A growing and robust European economy is of the most importance to both the EU and the EFTA countries. The economies of the EU and EFTA states are highly integrated and EFTA countries are affected by the current economic developments in the EU. Thus, we welcome this opportunity to exchange views on EFTA and EU strategies on how to ensure growth and resilience of the region's economy.

Please confirm your attendance at your earliest convenience and send the names of the members of your delegation to the following e-mail address: [protocole.participant@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:protocole.participant@consilium.europa.eu)  
(Cc. [dgg1a.economic-policy@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:dgg1a.economic-policy@consilium.europa.eu)).

The number of persons per delegation is limited to four (including Ministers).

I look forward to welcoming you in Brussels.



Pierre Gramegna

