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### **COMMUNICATION**

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

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Subject: Working Party on Fundamental Rights, Citizens' Rights and Free  
Movement of Persons (FREMP)

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Date: 4 and 5 November 2015

Time: 10.00, 10.00

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

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#### **4 November 2015**

- 1. Approval of the agenda**
  
- 2. Accession of the European Union to the European Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms**  
WK 116/15  
- Presentation by the Commission and discussion

### 3. Other business

Follow-up to the Commission intervention in case *Avotiņš v. Latvia* (application 17502/07) before the European Court of Human Rights (ECtHR)

- Information from the Presidency

### 5 November 2015 (am only)

#### 4. Outcome of the Commission colloquium on fundamental rights in the EU:

**"Tolerance and respect: preventing and combating anti-Semitic and anti-Muslim hatred in Europe," 1-2 October 2015, Brussels.**

- presentation by the Commission

#### 5. Human rights and business

**(a) Freedom to conduct a business: exploring the dimensions of a fundamental right**

- Presentation by the EU Agency for Fundamental Rights

**(b) Council of Europe drafting group on Human Rights and Business (CDDH-CORP)**

- Presentation by a representative of the Council of Europe

#### 6. Other business

- **Towards an EU Communication Strategy to promote respect, non-discrimination, fundamental rights, freedoms and solidarity throughout the EU**, workshop in Vienna, 14-15 December 2015, information from the Fundamental Rights Agency
- **High level seminar about experiences with the application of the Charter by the Member States' legislators**, 19 February 2016, Amsterdam, information from the Dutch delegation

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