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PROVISIONAL AGENDA

COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
(**Employment, Social Policy**, Health and Consumer Affairs)

Europa building, Brussels

15 March 2018 (9.30)

1. Adoption of the agenda

2. Approval of "A" items

Non-legislative list

6964/18

Non-legislative activities

3. European Semester 2018

a) Priorities for action in the areas of employment and social policies: Political guidance in 2018

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i) Joint Employment Report

6255/18

ii) Conclusions on the 2018 Annual Growth Survey and Joint Employment Report

6570/18 + COR 1

Adoption

b) 2018 Country reports

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6378/18





Presentation by the Commission

4. Investing in Youth Employment: Implementation of the Youth Guarantee


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
6149/18 + COR 1

Endorsement of EMCO's key messages


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| 5. | Recommendation on a European Framework for Quality and Effective Apprenticeships
(Legal basis proposed by the Commission: Articles 153, 166 and 292 TFEU)
<i>Adoption</i> |  6779/18 + ADD 1
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| 6. | The future of social Europe post 2020
<i>Policy debate</i> |  6326/18 + COR 1
+ ADD 1 |
| 7. | Closing the gender pay gap: Contributing to the achievement of the goals of the European Pillar of Social Rights
<i>Policy debate</i> |  6423/18 |

Any other business

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| 8. | a) Tripartite Social Summit
<i>Information from the Presidency and the Commission</i> |  |
| | b) Social Fairness Package
<i>Information from the Commission</i> |  |
| | c) Employment Committee (EMCO) and Social Protection Committee (SPC) Work Programmes 2018
<i>Information from the respective Chairs</i> |  6572/18
6569/18 |

 Public debate proposed by the Presidency (Article 8(2) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)

(*) Item on which a vote may be requested

 Item based on a Commission proposal