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WK 93 2018 INIT	Working Party on Trade Questions - Notice of meeting on 10 January 2018 - Updated draft annotated agenda	09/01/2018
WK 93 2018 REV 1	Working Party on Trade Questions - Notice of meeting on 10 January 2018 - Revised draft annotated agenda	09/01/2018
WK 105 2018 INIT	Monitoring report of imports of sensitive industrial sectors identified by the Regulation implementing the bilateral safeguard clause of the EU-Korea Free Trade Agreement	09/01/2018
WK 250 2018 INIT	Spanish comments on the Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL establishing a framework for screening of foreign direct investments into the European Union (ST 12137/17)	11/01/2018
WK 250 2018 REV 1	Spanish comments on the Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL establishing a framework for screening of foreign direct investments into the European Union (ST 12137/17)	12/01/2018

WK 269 2018 INIT	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a framework for screening of foreign direct investments into the European Union - AT comments and questions	12/01/2018
WK 303 2018 INIT	FDI Screening - An updated consolidated list of questions to the Commission with a request to provide additional information and analysis (following the discussion at the TQWP meeting of 12 December 2017 and comments received by Member States and the Commission)	12/01/2018
WK 310 2018 INIT	FDI Screening - Presentation given by the Commission at the Working Party on Trade Questions meeting on 10 January 2018	12/01/2018
WK 485 2018 INIT	Working Party on Trade Questions - Notice of meeting on 23 January 2018 - Draft annotated agenda	17/01/2018
WK 622 2018 INIT	Screening of FDI towards the EU - independent study carried out by Copenhagen Economics	19/01/2018
WK 861 2018 INIT	FDI Screening - Presentation given by the Commission at the Working Party on Trade Questions meeting on 23 January 2018	24/01/2018
WK 1195 2018 INIT	Working Party on Trade Questions - Revised tentative calendar of meetings under the Bulgarian Presidency (1 January 2018 – 30 June 2018)	01/02/2018
WK 1541 2018 INIT	FDI Screening - Presentation given by the Commission at the Working Party on Trade Questions meeting on 7 February 2018	08/02/2018
WK 1567 2018 INIT	FDI Screening - Legal framework establishing how the Commission is to protect national information received from the Member States	08/02/2018
WK 1814 2018 INIT	Working Party on Trade Questions - Notice of meeting on 21 February 2018 Draft annotated agenda	14/02/2018
WK 2547 2018 INIT	Working Party on Trade Questions - Notice of meeting on 23 January 2018 - Draft annotated agenda	28/02/2018
WK 2547 2018 REV 1	Working Party on Trade Questions - Notice of meeting on 7 March 2018 - Updated draft annotated agenda	06/03/2018
WK 2671 2018 INIT	Investment screening - Commission power to issue opinions in the energy sector - Presentation given by the Commission at the Working Party on Trade Questions meeting on 21 February 2018	02/03/2018
WK 2673 2018 INIT	Replies by DG TRADE to the Questionnaire sent by the Presidency regarding the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a framework for screening of foreign direct investments into the European Union	02/03/2018

WK 2673 2018 ADD 1	Replies by DG TRADE to the Questionnaire sent by the Presidency regarding the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a framework for screening of foreign direct investments into the European Union	07/03/2018
WK 2721 2018 INIT	Comments of Slovenia concerning the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a framework for screening of foreign direct investments into the EU	05/03/2018
WK 2723 2018 INIT	Portugal Comments on the legal basis for the Draft Proposal for a Regulation of the EP and the Council establishing a framework for screening of FDI into the EU	05/03/2018
WK 2729 2018 INIT	AT answers - Questionnaire for the Member States on the functioning of national investment screening mechanisms and existing practices for the collection of data related to foreign direct investment	05/03/2018
WK 2736 2018 INIT	ATs existing national FDI-Screening Mechanism - AT Fact Sheet with Contacts, Short Description National Legal Basis, Legal Provisions EN & DE	05/03/2018
WK 3216 2018 INIT	Working Party on Trade Questions - Notice of meeting on 21 March 2018 - Draft annotated agenda	14/03/2018
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WK 3479 2018 INIT	Cyprus comments on the Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a framework for screening of foreign direct investment into the European Union (ST 12137/17)	20/03/2018
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WK 3483 2018 INIT	Danish draft amendments to the Commission proposal for a regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a framework for reviews of foreign direct investments into the European Union	20/03/2018
WK 3489 2018 INIT	Comments by Hungary on Articles 1., 2. and 3. of the Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a framework for screening foreign direct investments into the European Union (ST 12137/17)	20/03/2018
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WK 3500 2018 INIT	UK Comments on the substance of a Regulation for screening of foreign direct investments into the EU	20/03/2018
WK 3505 2018 INIT	Comments by Sweden on the Commission Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a framework for screening of foreign direct investment into the European Union (ST 12137/12)	20/03/2018

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WK 3507 2018 INIT	Proposal for a regulation establishing a framework for screening of foreign direct investments into the European Union, COM(2017) 487 final - comments by Luxembourg	21/03/2018
WK 3516 2018 INIT	Belgian comments on the proposal for a REGULATION of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a framework for screening of foreign direct investments into the European Union	21/03/2018
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WK 3893 2018 INIT	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a framework for screening of foreign direct investments into the European Union 2017/0224 (COD) - comments by France	04/04/2018
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WK 4063 2018 INIT	Chinese Investment in Europe - A Country-Level Approach A Report by the European Think-tank Network on China (ETNC) - December 2017	09/04/2018
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WK 4390 2018 INIT	Comments by Croatia on the Commission Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a framework for screening of foreign direct investment into the European Union (ST 12137/17)	13/04/2018
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WK 4849 2018 INIT	Comments by Spain on the Commission Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a framework for screening of foreign direct investment into the European Union (ST 12137/17) - Spain's proposal for articles 8 to 10	23/04/2018
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