

**Council of the European Union** General Secretariat

Brussels, 8 October 2018

CM 4459/18

ENV

## **COMMUNICATION**

## NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Contact:	kai.stolzenburg@consilium.europa.eu
Tel./Fax:	+32.2.281.7693 / 7980
Subject:	Working Party on International Environment Issues (UNECE PRTR) (morning only)
Date:	15 October 2018
Time:	10.00
Venue:	COUNCIL
	JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING
	Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

## Protocol on Pollutant Release and Transfer Registers (PRTR) to the Aarhus Convention

- 1. Preparation of the sixth meeting of the Working Group of the Parties to the PRTR Protocol (WGP 6) (Geneva, 9 November 2018)
  - a) Draft contributions/statements by the EU and its Member States
    - i) Agenda of WGP 6, status of ratification, national focal points (items 1-3)
    - ii) Promotion and capacity-building (item 4)
    - iii) Compliance and reporting mechanisms (item 5)
    - iv) Development of the Protocol (item 6); progress in implementing the strategic plan for 2015-2020
    - v) Implementation of the work programmes for 2015-2017 and 2018-2021, including financial matters (item 7)
    - vi) Preparations for the fourth session of the Meeting of the Parties to the Protocol (MOPP 4) (item 8)
    - = Discussion and possible finalization

- b) Logistics and practical arrangements
- 2. Any other business
- NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal. Room attendants will provide copies on request at the earliest opportunity.