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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: Working Party on Terrorism (External Aspects, COTER)

Date: 15 February 2019
Time: 10.00
Venue: COUNCIL
JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING
Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

1. **Adoption of the agenda**
2. **Information point by the Presidency: Recent Terrorism Related Incidents**
3. **Terrorist threat in Eastern Africa (EU-C/C-EU)**
 - presentation by INTCEN
 - exchange of views

4. Mapping of EU funded external CT and P/CVE activities for 2018

- Presentation by the COM
- Exchange of views

5. Terrorist threat in Western Africa (EU-C/C-EU)

- presentation by INTCEN
- exchange of views

6. CT political dialogues and other related events

7. Cooperation with International Organisations

- GCTF
- UN
- OSCE priorities on CT – presentation by Slovakia, OSCE CiO

8. A.O.B.

* **COTER will be reinforced by the presence of COAFR delegates under agenda items 3 and 5.**

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