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NOTE

From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Delegations
Subject:	Draft agendas for the General Affairs Council (Article 50) meeting, during the second semester of 2019 (the Finnish Presidency)

In accordance with Article 2(7) of the Council's Rules of Procedure, delegations will find attached the indicative agendas¹ for **General Affairs Council** (Article 50) meetings for the period 1 July 2019 up to 31 December 2019². These have been drawn up by the Finnish Presidency.

In accordance with Article 3(6) of the Council's Rules of Procedure, items for which approval by the Council is possible without discussion are entered as "A" items. As a general rule, "A" items do not appear on the attached provisional Council agendas.

In accordance with Annex V, para 6 of the Council's Rules of Procedure, no item is placed on the Council agenda simply for presentation by the Commission or by a Council member, except where a debate on new major initiatives is planned.

¹ In accordance with the Treaty of Lisbon, on all agendas for the various Council configurations a distinction has to be made between legislative and non-legislative acts, in the case of both "A" items and "B" items.

² The provisional agendas of the other Council configurations are set out in **10725/19**.

**The Finnish Presidency - 2nd semester 2019
Draft Work Programme for General Affairs Council (Article 50) meetings**

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July	August	September	October	November	December
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GENERAL AFFAIRS COUNCIL (Article 50)

LUXEMBOURG – 15 October 2019

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items
Non-legislative list

Non-legislative activities

Preparation of the European Council (Article 50) on 17 or 18 October
2019

Exchange of views

Any other business
