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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: HIGH LEVEL WORKING GROUP ON COMPETITIVENESS AND GROWTH

Date: 15 February 2018

Time: 9.30

Venue: COUNCIL
JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING
Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

MORNING ONLY

1. Adoption of the agenda
 2. Information from the Presidency on the Informal Meeting of Ministers responsible for Competitiveness of 1st February 2018
 - *Presentation by the Presidency*
 3. Competitiveness Check-up - Internal Market externalities of regulation in services on manufacturing sector
 - *Presentation by the Commission*
 - *Exchange of views*
- Doc. 5092/18 (to follow)

4. Policy debate on innovation and growth
 - *Introduction by the Chair*
 - *Presentation by the Commission*
 - *Presentation by external speaker (tbc)*
 - *Exchange of views*

Doc. 5093/18 (to follow)

5. Working Lunch
SME policy - SME “mainstreaming”
 - *Presentation by the Commission*
 - *Presentation by external speaker*
 - *Exchange of views*

Doc. 5094/18 (to follow)

6. Any other business:
State-of-play: work on industry indicators
 - *Presentation by the Chair*

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