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Subject: EU-US Dialogue on drugs (videoconference)

Date: 11 September 2019
Time: 15.00
Venue: EUROPA BUILDING
Rue de la Loi 155, 1048 BRUSSELS

1. Introduction and adoption of the agenda

2. Update on the drug situation and policy developments in the EU and in the U.S.
 - a) Presentation by the U.S. delegation, including
 - Update on domestic cannabis regulations
 - Briefing on U.S. sanctions actions taken against fentanyl traffickers

 - b) Presentation by the Presidency and the European Commission, presentation by the EMCDDA of the 2019 European Drug Report and presentation by EUROPOL of the drug-related findings of the mid-term review of the Serious and Organised Crime Threat Assessment (SOCTA)

3. Exchange of views on the World Drug Report 2019
4. Follow-up to the 62nd CND session, including the Ministerial Declaration - Exchange of views
 - a) Multiyear workplan
 - b) Data Collection, including the revision of Annual Report Questionnaire (ARQ)
 - c) WHO recommendations on the scheduling of cannabis and cannabis-related substances
 - d) Exchange of views on support to UNODC
5. Regional focus on Central Asian Republics
 - a) Drug trafficking trends: why are opiate seizures declining?
 - b) Exchange of views on regional cooperation and CARICC (Central Asia Regional Information and Coordination Center)
 - c) Presentation of the new phase of the EU-funded cooperation programme: “Central Asia Drug Action Programme (CADAP)
6. A.O.B.
 - a) XXI High Level meeting of the EU-CELAC Coordination and Cooperation Mechanism on Drugs (Paramaribo, Suriname, 20-21 June 2019) - information by the EU
 - b) Global Call to Action on the World Drug Problem - follow-up
 - c) East Asia Summit Statement – information by United States

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