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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: Working Party on Fundamental Rights, Citizens' Rights and Free
Movement of Persons (FREMP)
23 and 24 October 2019 (mornings only)

Date: 23 and 24 October 2019
Time: 10.00, 10.00
Venue: COUNCIL
JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING
Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

Wednesday 23 October 2019 (MORNING ONLY)

1. EU Accession to Istanbul Convention

- a) FRA report: Women as victims of partner violence - Justice for victims of violent crime - Part IV^[1]
- Presentation by FRA
 - Exchange of views

[1] <https://fra.europa.eu/en/publication/2019/justice-victim-crime-women>

- b) Work of European Commission for Democracy through law (Venice Commission) relating to Istanbul Convention¹
 - Presentation by Venice Commission
 - Exchange of views

- c) Exchange of knowledge, experience and ideas regarding how to overcome challenges relating to ratification and/or implementation of Istanbul Convention
 - Presentations by Czech and Croatian delegations
 - Exchange of views

Thursday 24 October (MORNING ONLY)

2. Accession of the European Union to the European Convention for the protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms (ECHR): internal rules

- Exchange of views
DS 1883/12, DS 1280/13 DS 2033/13 and DS 1214/1/14

3. AOB

NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal. Room attendants will provide copies on request at the earliest opportunity.

¹ The Opinion of the Venice Commission on Armenia on the constitutional implications of the ratification of the Istanbul Convention will be published in the coming days. A link to the Opinion will be sent by the Secretariat.