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## MEETING ON THURSDAY 26 SEPTEMBER 2019

### 1. Adoption of the agenda

The Council adopted the agenda set out in 12155/19.

## INTERNAL MARKET AND INDUSTRY

### Non-legislative activities

#### 2. Developing our economic base:

##### a) **Vision for a long-term strategy on sustainable growth**

*Presentation by the Presidency*

##### b) **Competitiveness "check-up"**

*Presentation by the Commission*

*Policy debate*



11965/1/19 REV 1

The Council took note of the presentations by the Presidency on a vision for a long-term strategy on sustainable growth and by the Commission on the competitiveness "check-up" and held a policy debate based on doc. 11965/1/19 REV 1.

### Any other business

#### 3. a) **Current legislative proposal**

(Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

**Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 715/2007 on  
type approval of motor vehicles with respect to  
emissions from light passenger and commercial  
vehicles (Euro 5 and Euro 6)**

*Information from the Presidency*



12241/19

10347/19 + ADD 1

The Council was informed about the developments of the proposal as set out in doc. 12241/19.

- b) Call of the SME Envoy Network for a vigorous and forward-looking EU policy for small businesses  
*Information from the German delegation* 12333/19
- c) Outcome of a conference on support for SMEs (Brno, 29-31 May 2019)  
*Information from the Czech delegation* 12334/19
- d) European Battery Alliance - building a strong strategic battery value chain in Europe  
*Information from the Commission* 12332/19

4. **Approval of "A" items** 12238/19

**Non-legislative list**

The Council adopted the "A" items listed in 12238/19, including COR and REV documents presented for adoption. Statements related to these items are set out in the Addendum.

**MEETING ON FRIDAY 27 SEPTEMBER 2019**

**RESEARCH**

**Non-legislative activities**

5. **Developing our economic base: Vision for a long-term strategy on sustainable growth**  11965/1/19 REV 1  
*Policy debate*

The Council held a policy debate based on doc. 11965/1/19 REV 1.

## **Legislative deliberations**

(Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

6. **Horizon Europe Package: Synergies with other programmes** **1****C** 12043/19  
*Policy debate* 9865/18 + ADD 1  
9870/18 + ADD 1

The Council held a policy debate based on the questions set out in doc. 12043/19.

## **Any other business**

No items were raised under this heading.

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- 2** Public debate proposed by the Presidency (Article 8(2) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)
- 1** First reading
- C** Item based on a Commission proposal