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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	Meeting of the Horizontal Working Party on Drugs
Date:	10 and 11 January 2023
Time:	9.30, 9.30
Venue:	COUNCIL EUROPA BUILDING Rue de la Loi 167, 1048 BRUSSELS

Format 1+1

10 January, 9h30 – 17h30

1. Adoption of the agenda

2. **Presentation of the programme of the Swedish Presidency¹(*)**
3. **Presentation of drug-related issues addressed in other preparatory bodies of the Council and other relevant meetings (*)**
4. **United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime and Commission on Narcotic Drugs (*)**
 - Report on the 65th reconvened session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs (Vienna, 8-9 December 2022)
 - Preparations for the 66th session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs (Vienna, 13-17 March 2023)
 - a) Contribution by the EU Civil Society Forum on Drugs
 - b) Exchange of views on the future “modalities resolution” regarding the 2024 mid-term review with a view to endorsing the EU’s common approach
WK 16558/2022 REV1 (to be issued)
 - c) Draft resolutions of the EU Member States
 - d) Draft resolutions of third countries
 - e) Organisation of side events
 - f) Proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken, on behalf of the European Union, in the sixty-sixth session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs on the scheduling of substances
(doc. to be issued)
 - g) Guidelines on drafting CND resolutions
WK 17891/2022 (to be issued)

¹ EMCDDA and Europol are invited to participate in the items marked with an (*).

5. First Thematic Debate on Gender and Drugs: Access to treatment for women and men with drug use disorders (*)

- Introduction: Report from side event Gender and Drugs – State of Play, challenges and future perspectives. Lisbon Addictions 2022
- Presentations by UNODC, WHO, EMCDDA, Sweden, Finland and Greece
- Discussion

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6. Dialogues with third countries (*)

- a) Preparation of the EU-U.S. dialogue
WK 16559/2022 REV 1 (to be issued)
- b) Preparation of the EU-Brazil expert meeting (in the margins of the CND)

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11 January, 9h30-16.00

7. Drug situation in Ukraine from health and security perspective (*)

- (tbc) Informal intervention by Ukrainian representative(s)
- Questions and answers
- Presentation by EMCDDA and Europol
- Discussion among Member States

8. EU Global Health Strategy: Better Health for All in a Changing World

- Presentation by Commission of its Communication
- Questions and answers

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9. **Presentation by Europol of the recent law enforcement action against a drug trafficking cartel (*)**
10. **Information by Europol about the 6th Annual Drugs Conference (*)**
11. **Drug-related developments in EU Member States**
 - Presentation by Germany
12. **Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the European Union Drugs Agency**
 - State of play and debrief from the first political trilogue
 - Preparation of further trilogue negotiations and technical meetings

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13. **Any other business**
 - Information by PT delegation about the 18th Ministerial Conference of the Council of Europe's Pompidou Group
 - Information by CZ delegation about the INCB elections

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