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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA
PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE (Part 2)

Europa building, Brussels

1 March 2023 (09:30)

Format 1+2+1 (+1 in listening room)

Discussion items (II)

General Affairs

Meeting of the Council (General Affairs) on 21 March 2023: Agenda

Foreign Affairs

Meeting of the Council (Foreign Affairs) on 20 March 2023: Agenda

Global Gateway: state of play and way forward

6742/23

Exchange of views

(poss.) Russian aggression against Ukraine

Exchange of views

EU-North Macedonia Stabilisation and Association Council
(17 March 2023)

6717/23

Preparation for the establishment of the EU position



Economic and Financial Affairs

Meeting of the Council (Economic and Financial Affairs) on
14 March 2023: Preparation

Other items in connection with the Council meeting

Justice and Home Affairs

Meeting of the Council (Justice and Home Affairs) on
9-10 March 2023: Preparation

- a) Overall state of the Schengen area:
 - i) Functioning of the Schengen area 6764/23
State of play
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Exchange of views
- b) Entry into operation of the enhanced SIS 6660/23
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- c) Implementation of interoperability 6506/23
Exchange of views
- d) Russia's aggression against Ukraine: Internal security dialogue and Justice and Home Affairs/Common and Defence Policy cooperation 6563/23
Exchange of views
- e) Asylum and migration: external and internal dimensions¹ 6748/23
Exchange of views
- f) Directive on the definition of criminal offences and penalties for the violation of Union restrictive measures  6454/23
Progress report
- g) Directive on asset recovery and confiscation  6452/23
Progress report
- h) Barriers to access to justice and how to overcome them 6694/23
Exchange of views
- i) Conclusions on the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights and the civic space 6675/23
Approval
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- j) Combating racism and antisemitism: next steps 6744/23
Exchange of views

¹ Exceptionally, in the presence of the Schengen Associated States.

k) Judicial responses and the fight against impunity regarding crimes committed in connection with Russia's aggression against Ukraine
State of play 6458/23

l) Other items in connection with the Council meeting

Any other business

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In the margins of Coreper:

SCHENGEN MIXED COMMITTEE (09.30)

Justice and Home Affairs

Overall state of the Schengen area:

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State of play 6764/23

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Implementation of interoperability
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Non-discussion items (I)**Judicial Affairs**

Case T-23/23 (Application for annulment) 6709/23
Information note JUR

Institutional Affairs**Appointments**

Three members and two alternate members (DE) of the Committee of
 the Regions 6288/23
Adoption 6287/23
 CDR

A member (IT) of the Committee of the Regions 6529/23
Adoption 6528/23
 CDR

A member and two alternate members (SI) of the Committee of the
 Regions 6310/23
Adoption 6309/23
 CDR

Other

Attendance of a third party at the Eastern Europe and Central Asia
 Working Party (COEST) on 9 March 2023 6759/23
Approval COEST

Attendance of an additional third party at the Working Party on
 Humanitarian Aid and Food Aid (COHAFA) on 9 March 2023 6696/23
Approval COHAFA

Attendance of third parties at the Asia-Oceania Working Party on
 16 March 2023 6637/23
Approval COASI

Attendance of third parties at the EUMC Working Group/Headline
 Goal Task Force (HTF) on 16 March 2023 6567/23
Approval EUMC

Letters

Partial renewal of the European Court of Auditors  6025/23
Approval of a letter CMPT

Transparency

Public access to documents request 23/0218
Decision to make the statements public

 6719/23
POLCOM

Economic and Financial Affairs

ECA SR No 4/2023 on the Global Climate Change Alliance(+)
Designation of a Working Party
Attendance of the European Court of Auditors at the Working Party meeting

 6604/23
FIN

Regulation on European long-term investment funds (ELTIF)
Adoption of the legislative act

  6431/23
PE-CONS 69/22
EF

General Affairs

Conclusions on ECA SR No 27/2022 on EU support to cross-border cooperation with neighbouring countries
Approval



6564/23
COH

Regulation on autonomous measures in the implementation of the TCA and the Withdrawal Agreement
Adoption of the legislative act

  6715/23
PE-CONS 77/22
UK

Justice and Home Affairs

Regulation on Kosovo* visa liberalisation
Adoption of the Council's position at first reading and of the statement of the Council's reasons

  6714/23
5103/23 + ADD 1
VISA

Conclusions on the Action Plan for the European Forensic Science Area 2.0
Approval



6745/23
ENFOPOL

Foreign Affairs

EU-Albania Stabilisation and Association Council (16 March 2023)
Establishment of the EU position

6700/23
ELARG

* This designation is without prejudice to positions on status, and is in line with UNSCR 1244 (1999) and the ICJ Opinion on the Kosovo declaration of independence.

EU Priorities UN Global Counterterrorism Strategy (GCTS) Review 2023 <i>Approval</i>	6704/23 COTER
Restrictive measures against serious human rights violations and abuses: coordination with third states <i>Approval</i>	6739/23 COHOM
(poss.) PSC Decision EUMAM Ukraine/1/2023: acceptance of a third state's contribution <i>Decision to publish in the Official Journal</i>	 6771/23 6490/23 PSC DEC
List of Global Gateway flagship projects for 2023 <i>Endorsement</i>	6738/23 RELEX
Council Decision on an assistance measure under the European Peace Facility to support the Nigerien Armed Forces in conjunction with the EU military partnership mission in Niger <i>Adoption</i>	5655/23 5654/23 CORLX
Council Decision on an assistance measure taking the form of a general programme for support to the African Union under the European Peace Facility for the period 2022-2024 <i>Adoption</i>	5760/23 5759/23 CORLX
Council Decision and Implementing Regulation concerning restrictive measures directed against certain persons, entities and bodies in view of the situation in Ukraine <i>Adoption</i>	6415/23 6412/23 6414/23 CORLX
Council Decision amending Decision (CFSP) 2021/698 to include the Union Secure Connectivity Programme <i>Adoption</i>	11011/22 11009/22 CORLX
<u>EU positions for international negotiations</u>	
Council Decision on the EU position to be taken at the 66th session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs on international scheduling of new psychoactive substances <i>Adoption</i>	 6353/23 6157/23 CORDROGUE



First reading



Procedural decision by Coreper (Article 19(3)&(7) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)



Item based on a Commission proposal

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