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OUTCOME OF PROCEEDINGS

From: General Secretariat of the Council
On: 28 March 2023
To: Terrorism Working Party (TWP)
Subject: Summary of discussions

1. Adoption of the agenda

The agenda was adopted, as set out in CM 2043/23.

2. Information from the Presidency

The Presidency informed about recent and upcoming events, including the conference which had taken place in Stockholm on 13-14 March 2023 on “Violent extremism and terrorism / challenges and responses in a democratic society”.

3. Restrictive measures as a tool in the fight against terrorism

The chair of COMET (Working Party on restrictive measures to combat terrorism) gave a general update on restrictive measures as a tool in the fight against terrorism.

4. Violent right-wing extremism and terrorism - trends, challenges and update of the four work strands

Delegations had an exchange of views based upon 7307/23, following presentations by IntCen and Slovakia.

Deadline for possible comments is 6 April 2023.

5. Violent anti-system/government extremism as a possible terrorist threat

Delegations had an exchange of views, following presentations IntCen, Italy and the Commission representing the ongoing Project Based Collaboration and the Netherlands.

6. Six-monthly threat assessment in the field of counterterrorism

IntCen and Europol gave presentations on the above-mentioned topic.

7. Information on CT and CVE incidents

Under the information on CT and CVE incidents, six Member States reported incidents which occurred during the reporting period.

8. Information on activities related to CT and CVE

The Commission, Europol, the office of the EU CTC and EEAS updated delegations on recent and upcoming CT and CVE-related activities.

9. Any other business

One delegation informed about a conference on violent right-wing extremism to take place on 20 April 2023.