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Subject:	Meeting of the Horizontal Working Party on Drugs
Date:	14 June 2023
Time:	09:30
Venue:	COUNCIL JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

Format 2+2

14 June 2023, 9.30 – 13.00

- 1) **Adoption of the agenda**

- 2) **Presentation of drug-related issues addressed in other preparatory bodies of the Council and other relevant meetings (*)¹**
 - a) Update on CLASI
 - b) Other relevant meetings

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

3) The Swedish Presidency in the HDG (*)

- a) Summary of the Swedish Presidency in the HDG
- b) Summary from the thematic discussion on the production, trafficking and non-medical use of medicines containing opioids
- c) The Presidency's draft summary and conclusions from the thematic discussions on Gender and Drugs

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4) Preview of the European Drug Report (*)

- Presentation by the EMCDDA Director Mr. Alexis Goosdeel

5) Dialogues with third countries (*)

- a) Further follow-up to the EU-U.S. Dialogue on Drugs: exchange of views on the proposal for a Global Coalition to Address Synthetic Drug Threats
- b) Report from the EU-Western Balkans Experts Meeting on Drugs (Brussels, 25 May 2023)
- c) EU-CELAC:

- i. Preparation of the Technical Committee Meeting of the EU-CELAC Coordination and Cooperation Mechanism on Drugs (Brussels, 14 June 2023 and possible meeting in July 2023)

CM 3131/23, WK 7523/2023, WK 6742/2023

- ii. Preparation of the upcoming High-Level Meeting of the EU-CELAC Coordination and Cooperation Mechanism on Drugs (Barcelona, 29-30 August 2023)

WK 6258/2023, WK 3414/2023 REV1, WK 3415/2023 REV2

- d) Preparation of the EU-Colombia Dialogue on Drugs

WK 7457/2023 (to be issued)

6) Drug situation in Ukraine from security perspective (*)

- a) Informal intervention by Ukrainian representative
- b) Questions and answers
- c) Discussion among Member States

- 7) **Capital punishment for drug-related crime in the world – state of play**
 - Presentation by EEAS

- 8) **The coalition of European countries fighting serious and organised crime (*)**
 - Presentation

- 9) **Presentation of the priorities of the incoming Spanish Presidency of the Council of the European Union (*)**

- 10) **Any other business**
 - Notification of national laws concerning new psychoactive substances (Prevention of technical barriers to trade)
 - Update by the Commission on the EU Internet Forum Knowledge Package on drugs

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