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**PROVISIONAL AGENDA**  
COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION  
(Environment)  
ECCL, Luxembourg  
20 June 2023 (10:00)

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1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Approval of "A" items

Non-legislative list

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**Legislative deliberations**

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

3. Regulation on nature restoration  
*General approach* **OC** 10719/23
4. Regulation amending Regulation (EU) 2019/1242 on CO<sub>2</sub>  
emission standards for heavy-duty vehicles  
*Policy debate* **OC** 9925/23
5. Directive on air quality (recast)  
*Policy debate* **OC** 9935/23

## Any other business

6. a) Marine Environment Protection Committee (MEPC 80) of the International Maritime Organization (IMO) (virtual, 3 - 7 July 2023)  
*Information from the Commission* [2] 10599/23
- b) Implementation of the European Hydrogen Bank Auctions as a service for Member States  
Concept Note  
*Information from the Commission* [2] 10394/23
- c) Strengthening the policies for adapting to climate change  
*Information from the French, Spanish, Greek, Portuguese and Romanian delegations* [2] 10224/1/23 REV 1
- d) Work programme of the incoming Presidency  
*Information from the Spanish delegation*
- e) Lower VAT rate for recyclates/recycled products - a possible economic tool to promote the circular economy  
*Information from the Czech delegation* [2] 10397/23
- f) Rome's candidacy to host EXPO 2030  
*Information from the Italian delegation* [2] 10145/23
- g) Reports on main recent international meetings [2]
- i) Triple Conference of the Parties to the Basel (COP 16), Rotterdam (COP 11) and Stockholm (COP 11) Conventions (Geneva, 1 - 12 May 2023) 10614/23
- ii) Second session of the Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee (INC-2) to Develop an International Legally Binding Instrument on Plastic Pollution (Paris, 29 May - 2 June 2023) 10617/23
- iii) UN 2023 Water Conference (New York, 22 - 24 March 2023) (co-hosted by the Republic of Tajikistan and the Kingdom of the Netherlands) 10714/23  
*Information from the Presidency and the Commission*

h) Early Warning Report under the EU waste law  
*Information from the Commission*

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