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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	Meeting of the members of the Working Party on Humanitarian Aid and Food Aid
Date:	7 and 8 February 2024
Time:	14:00, 09:30
Venue:	COUNCIL JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

7 and 8 February 2024
(14:00-19:00; 9:30-12:00, 13:30-16:00)

1. Adoption of the agenda

2. **Protection in humanitarian settings** (*incl. informal exchanges with NRC¹, “Tenth of April”² and Nonviolent Peaceforce³*)
3. **Forgotten and underfunded crises** (*incl. informal exchange with UN OCHA*)
4. **Humanitarian impact of explosive weapons in Gaza** (*incl. informal exchange with Humanity & Inclusion⁴*)
5. **State of play regarding recent allegations against UNRWA’s staff** (*incl. informal exchange with UNRWA*)
6. **Draft Council conclusions on protection in humanitarian settings**
7. **European Humanitarian Forum 2024**
8. **Geographical crises**
 - a) Humanitarian situation in Burkina Faso (*incl. informal exchange with Croix-Rouge de Belgique⁵*)
 - b) Humanitarian situation in Mozambique (*incl. informal exchange with UNICEF*)
9. **AOB**
 - a) Mauritania
 - b) Yemen and the Red Sea
 - c) Implementation of the Council conclusions on addressing the humanitarian funding gap: light tracking mechanisms and priorities of Member States

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NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal.

¹ Norwegian Refugee Council Europe, identification number in the EU Transparency Register: 750447615329-96.

² CIVIC ORGANIZATION "TENTH OF APRIL", identification number in the EU Transparency Register: 276482852539-32.

³ Nonviolent Peaceforce, identification number in the EU Transparency Register: 594026247429-89.

⁴ Humanity & Inclusion, also known as Handicap International – ASSOCIATION FEDERATION HANDICAP INTERNATIONAL, identification number in the EU Transparency Register: 213754916822-68.

⁵ Croix-Rouge de Belgique is a member of the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies, identification number in the EU Transparency Register: 132236315085-89.