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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	Meeting of the Non-Proliferation and Disarmament subgroup (CONOP) of the Working Party on Non-Proliferation and Arms Exports
Date:	20 March 2024
Time:	10:30
Venue:	COUNCIL JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

I. CURRENT SECURITY ENVIRONMENT AND ITS IMPLICATIONS FOR CONOP WORK

II. WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION AND THEIR MEANS OF DELIVERY

1. Preparations for Second Preparatory Committee to Eleventh NPT Review Conference
2. Preparations for Fourth International Conference on Nuclear Security (ICONS 2024)
3. Non-proliferation challenges: the DPRK and Iran
4. Restrictive measures against proliferation and use of chemical weapons – Possible inclusion of humanitarian exemption

III. CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS

1. 4th Review Conference of UN Programme of Action on Small Arms and Light Weapons
– *Draft Council Conclusions*
2. 5th Review Conference of Anti-Personnel Mine Ban Convention – *Draft Council Conclusions*
3. Council Decision in support of combating the illicit trade in and proliferation of SALW
in Member States of the League of Arab States

IV. HORIZONTAL ISSUES

1. 79th UNGA First Committee preparation
2. Group of Governmental Experts on further practical measures for the prevention of an
arms race in outer space (GGE on PAROS)

V. AOB
