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NOTICE OF MEETING

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Subject:	WIPO Diplomatic Conference to Conclude an International Legal Instrument Relating to Intellectual Property, Genetic Resources and Traditional Knowledge Associated with Genetic Resources (Geneva, 13-24 May 2024) - EU coordination meeting
Date:	13 May 2024
Time:	13:30
Venue:	WIPO Geneva Headquarters 34, Chemin des Colombettes 1202 Geneva

1. Delegations are informed that the first on-the-spot EU coordination meeting in connection with the above-mentioned Diplomatic Conference will be held on **Monday, 13 May 2024, at 13:30 in Room B.**
2. Additional EU coordination meetings will be announced on the spot.

3. Delegations' attention is drawn to the following documents, which will serve as the basis for the on-the-spot coordination in Geneva:

- COUNCIL DECISION (EU) 2024/1277 of 29 April 2024 authorising the opening of negotiations, on behalf of the European Union, in the context of the World Intellectual Property Organization for an international legal instrument relating to intellectual property, genetic resources and traditional knowledge associated with genetic resources (OJ L, 2024/1277, 3.5.2024) and the negotiating directives set out in the addendum to this Council Decision (doc. 8843/24 ADD 1 **RESTREINT UE/EU RESTRICTED**)
 - Suggested negotiating strategy (doc. WK 6470/2024 **RESTREINT UE/EU RESTRICTED**)
 - Revised draft opening statement (doc. 9548/24 REV 1 – *to be issued*)
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