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SUMMARY RECORD
PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE
29 May 2024

I. Adoption of the agenda

10364/24 OJ CRP1
10394/24 OJ CRP2

The Committee adopted the agenda.

II. Approval of the "I" items

The Committee approved the "I" items as set out in the Annex.

III. Discussion items II

COREPER (PART 1)

Internal Market and Industry

52. Unitary supplementary protection certificates (unitary SPCs):  10126/24

- a) Unitary SPC Regulation for plant protection products and
- b) Unitary SPC Regulation for medicinal products
Guidance for further work

The Committee provided guidance for further work.

Health

53. Pharmaceutical package



9840/1/24 REV 1

- (a) Directive on the Union code relating to medicinal products for human use
- (b) Regulation laying down Union procedures for the authorisation and supervision of medicinal products for human use and establishing rules governing the European Medicines Agency

State of play

The Committee took note of the latest revised text of the shortages cluster and the progress made.

Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs

54. Meeting of the Council (Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs) on 20 and 21 June 2024: agenda

The Committee took note of the provisional agenda and of the AOB request by LV on “A call for action at the EU level to protect young people from harm caused by novel tobacco and nicotine products”. Except for the adoption of the agenda and non-legislative A-items and three AOBs (two by HU on “Work programme of the incoming Presidency” and one by the Presidency and the Commission on “Negotiations on an international agreement on pandemic prevention, preparedness and response, as well as complementary amendments to the International Health Regulations (2005)”), it decided to take all items in public session. It agreed to the participation of the Employment and Social Protection Committees Chairs in the Employment and Social Policy parts of the Council meeting.

Transport, Telecommunications and Energy

55. Meeting of the Council (Transport, Telecommunications and Energy) on 18 June 2024: agenda

The Committee took note of the provisional agenda and of the AOB requests by the Commission on “The long-term investment needs in transport infrastructure”, by NL and AT on “Presentation of the fourth progress report of the Platform on International Rail Passenger Transport (IRP)”, and by ES on “The risk of carbon leakage”. It decided to hold the Commission and NL/AT AOBs in public session.

56. Meeting of the Council (Transport, Telecommunications and Energy) on 30 May 2024: preparation

The Committee took note of the PL, CZ and HU request for a non-public AOB on “Terms and Conditions of the 2024 Innovation Fund Auction for RFNBO hydrogen production (second round of auction H2)”.

Environment

57. Meeting of the Council (Environment) on 17 June 2024: preparation

1. Directive amending Directive 2008/98/EC on waste **IC** 10216/24
General approach

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

2. Soil Monitoring Law **IC** 10236/24
General approach

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

COREPER (PART 2)

General Affairs

2. Meeting of the Council (General Affairs/Cohesion) on
18 June 2024: agenda

The Committee took note of the presentation by the Presidency. Czechia requested two AOBs: one on the recent declaration of 11 cohesion policy ministers in Prague, and the second with Slovakia on the Karlovy Vary annual policy dialogue and the need for strengthening just transition in regions affected by decarbonisation.

3. Directive on Transparency of Interest Representation on behalf of Third Countries  10266/24
State of play and guidance for further work

The Committee held an exchange of views. The Presidency concluded that more work is needed at technical level and agreed to revert in preparation for the General Affairs Council on 25 June 2024.

4. Enlargement 10202/24
Accession negotiations with Ukraine 10204/24
Approval

The Committee held an exchange of views and agreed to revert on 7 June 2024.

5. Enlargement 10206/24
Accession negotiations with the Republic of Moldova 10207/24
Approval

The Committee held an exchange of views and agreed to revert on 7 June 2024.

6. The European Union's relations with Türkiye 
Exchange of views

The Committee held an exchange of views in a restricted format.

Foreign Affairs

7. Meeting of the Council (Foreign Affairs) on 27 and
28 May 2024: follow-up

The Committee discussed the main outcomes of the Foreign Affairs Council.

8. Russia's aggression against Ukraine 
Exchange of views

The Committee held an exchange of views in a restricted format and agreed to revert.

Justice and Home Affairs

9. Meeting of the Council (Justice and Home Affairs) on 13 and 14 June 2024: preparation

- a) Regulation on establishing and recognising parenthood in cross-border situations SC 9897/24
Policy debate

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

- b) Directive on combating corruption IC 10247/24
General approach

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting.

A statement by Germany is set out in document 10247/24 ADD 1.

A statement by Estonia is set out in document 10247/24 ADD 2.

A statement by Bulgaria is set out in document 10247/24 ADD 3.

- c) European Public Prosecutor's Office (EPPO)
State of play

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting and approved the attendance of the EPPO chief prosecutor.

- d) Conclusions on enhancing and protecting free, open and informed democratic debate 9861/24
Approval

The Committee prepared this item for the Council meeting and confirmed agreement on the text. Statements by Bulgaria and Hungary are set out in document 9861/24 ADD 1.

- e) Other items in connection with the Council meeting

The Committee took note of the information provided by the Presidency.

Economic and Financial Affairs

10. Meeting of the Council (Economic and Financial Affairs) on 21 June 2024: agenda

The Committee took note of the draft agenda.

IV. Any other business

COREPER (PART 1)

None.

COREPER (PART 2)

None.

Non-discussion items "I"

COREPER (PART 1)

Institutional affairs

Other

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| 58. | Attendance of a third party at the meeting of the Working Party on Research (Atomic Questions) on 12 June 2024
<i>Approval</i> | 10354/24
RECH |
| 59. | Attendance of third parties at the meeting of the Working Party on International Environment Issues (Aarhus) on 3 June 2024
<i>Approval</i> | 10238/24
ENV |
| 60. | Attendance of third parties at the meeting of the Working Party on International Environment Issues (Global) on 5 June 2024
<i>Approval</i> | 10215/24
ENV |
| 61. | Attendance of a third party at the meeting of the Working Party on Animals and Veterinary Questions (Chief Veterinary Officers) on 3 June 2024
<i>Approval</i> | 10299/24
VETER |
| 62. | Attendance of a third party at the Working Party on the Environment on 3 June 2024
<i>Approval</i> | 10369/24
ENV |

Judicial affairs

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| 63. | Case T-62/24, action for annulment, Regulation (EU) No 1151/2012 (quality schemes for agricultural products and foodstuffs)
<i>Information note</i> | 10002/24
JUR |
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Fisheries

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| 64. | Annual EU-UK consultations on fishing opportunities for 2024 – Specification of the Union position on sprat in divisions 7.d and 7.e
<i>Approval of the specification of the Union position</i> | 9816/24
9924/24
PECHE |
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Internal Market and Industry

65. Directive on promoting the right to repair
Adoption of the legislative act
- IC** 9378/24 + ADD 1
PE-CONS 34/24
CONSOM

A statement by Estonia and Latvia is set out in document 9378/24 ADD 1

Health

66. Regulation amending Regulations (EU) 2017/745 and (EU) 2017/746 as regards a gradual roll-out of Eudamed, the obligation to inform in case of interruption or discontinuation of supply, and transitional provisions for certain in vitro diagnostic medical devices
Adoption of the legislative act
- IC** 10225/24
PE-CONS 54/24
+ **COR 1**
SAN

Environment

67. Regulation amending Regulation (EU) 2017/852 on mercury as regards dental amalgam and other mercury-added products
Adoption of the legislative act
- IC** 10210/24
PE-CONS 53/24
ENV

Transport

68. Revision of the Regulation on Union guidelines for the development of the trans-European transport network (TEN-T)
Adoption of the legislative act
- IC** 10209/24 + ADD 1
REV1
PE-CONS 56/24
+ ADD 1-29
TRANS

Statements by Germany, France, and Portugal are set out in document 10209/24 ADD 1 REV 1.

Delegated or Implementing Acts

Internal Market and Industry

69. Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) .../... of 6.3.2024 supplementing Regulation (EU) No 305/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council by establishing classes of performance in relation to the resistance to fire of construction products
Delegated act – Intention not to raise objections
- 10235/24
7594/24 + ADD 1
ENT

COREPER (PART 2)

Judicial affairs

11. Case C-326/24 P, appeal against the Judgment in Case T117/22 (Belarus restrictive measures) 10055/24
Information note JUR

Institutional affairs

Appointments

12. A member (IT) of the Committee of the Regions 10137/24
Adoption 10136/24
CDR

Other

13. Attendance of third parties at the meeting of the Working Party on Public International Law (International Criminal Court) (COJUR-ICC) for the duration of the Belgian Presidency 10297/24
Approval COJUR
14. Attendance of a third party at the meeting of the Working Party on Civil Protection (PROCIV) on 29 May 2024 10201/24
Approval PROCIV
15. Attendance of a third party at the meeting of the Asia-Oceania Working Party (COASI) on 30 May 2024 10337/24
Approval COASI
16. Attendance of a third party at the meeting of the Middle East/Gulf Working Party (MOG) on 3 June 2024 10166/24
Approval MOG
17. Attendance of a third party at the meeting of the Horizontal Working Party on Enhancing Resilience and Countering Hybrid Threats (HWP ERCHT) on 4 June 2024 10296/24
Approval HYBRID
18. Attendance of third parties at the meeting of the Working Party on Public International Law (COJUR) on 6 June 2024 10237/24
Approval COJUR
19. Attendance of third parties at the meeting of the Working Party on External Aspects of Asylum and Migration on 6 June 2024 10260/24
Approval MIGR

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| 20. | Attendance of a third party at the meeting of the Trade Policy Committee (Deputies) on 6 June 2024
<i>Approval</i> | 10278/24
POLCOM |
| 21. | Attendance of third parties at the meeting of the Working Party on Integration, Migration and Expulsion (IMEX) on 10 June 2024
<i>Approval</i> | 10192/24
MIGR |
| 22. | Attendance of a third party at the Working Party on Latin America and the Caribbean (COLAC) on 11 June 2024
<i>Approval</i> | 9981/24
COLAC |
| 23. | Attendance of a third party at the meeting of the Working Party on Transatlantic Relations (COTRA) on 11 June 2024
<i>Approval</i> | 10291/24
COTRA |
| 24. | Attendance of a third party at the meeting of the Working Party on Enlargement and Countries Negotiating Accession to the EU (COELA) on 11 June 2024
<i>Approval</i> | 10197/24
ELARG |
| 25. | Attendance of a third party at the meeting of the Working Party on the Western Balkans Region (COWEB) on 12 June 2024
<i>Approval</i> | 10122/24
COWEB |

Transparency

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| 26. | Public access to documents
Confirmatory application No 17/c/01/24
<i>Approval</i> | 9229/24
INF |
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Economic and Financial Affairs

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| 27. | European Court of Auditors' special report No 07/2024 on the Commission and recovering irregular EU expenditure
<i>Designation of a Working Party</i>
<i>Attendance of the European Court of Auditors at the Working Party meeting</i> |  10062/1/24 REV 1
FIN |
| 28. | Council Implementing Decision authorising the Republic of Latvia to extend a VAT derogation
<i>Adoption</i> |  10232/24
9701/24
FISC |

General Affairs

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| 29. | (poss.) Key political messages for the 2024 High-Level Political Forum on Sustainable Development (8 to 17 July 2024)
<i>Approval</i> | 10219/24
SUSTDEV |
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Justice and Home Affairs

30. Council Decision authorising the opening of negotiations on an agreement with the Republic of San Marino on border management
Adoption
- ☐ 9895/24 + COR 1
9837/24 + ADD 1
FRONT

A statement by the Commission is set out in ADD document to this document.

31. Council Decision authorising the opening of negotiations on an agreement with the Principality of Andorra on border management
Adoption
- ☐ 9894/24
9836/24 + ADD 1
FRONT

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32. Council Decision on the signing of the Agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Serbia on operational activities carried out by the European Border and Coast Guard Agency in Serbia
Adoption
- ☐ 8449/1/24 REV 1
8440/24
8447/24
FRONT

A statement by the Commission is set out in document 8449/1/24 REV 1 ADD 1.

33. Conclusions on the evaluation of Regulation (EU) 2019/1896 on the European Border and Coast Guard
Approval
- 9942/24
FRONT

34. Directive amending Directive 2012/29/EU on the rights of victims
General approach
- ☐☐ 10255/24
JAI

A statement by Bulgaria is set out in document 10255/24 ADD 1.
A statement by Slovakia is set out in document 10255/24 ADD 2.

35. Istanbul Convention
- ☐ 9914/24
JAI
FREMP
- (a) Council Decision with regard to matters related to institutions and public administration of the Union
Adoption
- 10195/24
- (b) Council Decision with regard to matters related to judicial cooperation in criminal matters, asylum and non-refoulement
Adoption
- 10196/24

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| 36. Regulation on procedural rules relating to the enforcement of the General Data Protection Regulation
<i>General approach</i> |  | 10288/24
DATAPROTECT |
| 37. Review mechanism regarding the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime (UNTOC)
<i>Approval of a letter</i> |  | 10181/24
COPEN |
| 38. Conclusions on setting up a judicial organised crime network
<i>Approval</i> | | 10253/24
COPEN
JAI |
| 39. Conclusions on judicial cooperation with third countries
<i>Approval</i> | | 10254/24
COPEN
JAI |

Foreign Affairs

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| 40. Council Decision on an assistance measure under the European Peace Facility to support the Armed Forces of the Republic of Moldova with military equipment designed to deliver lethal force
<i>Adoption</i> | | 8900/24
8899/24
CORLX |
| Statements by Austria, Ireland and Malta are set out in document 8900/1/24 REV 1 ADD 1. | | |
| 41. Council Decision and Implementing Regulation concerning restrictive measures in view of Iran's military support to Russia's war of aggression against Ukraine and to armed groups and entities in the Middle East and the Red Sea region
<i>Adoption</i>
<i>Decision to use the written procedure</i> |  | 9504/24
9501/24
9503/24
CORLX |
| 42. PSC Decision EUAM UKRAINE/1/2024 extending the mandate of the Head of Mission of EUAM Ukraine
<i>Decision to publish in the Official Journal</i> |  | 10229/24
9542/24
PSC DEC |
| 43. Extension of the appointment of the Chair of the European Union Military Committee Working Group / Headline Goal Task Force
<i>Approval</i> | | 9827/24
EUMC |
| 44. Conclusions on the White Paper on Export Controls
<i>Approval</i> | | 9437/24
9438/24
DUAL USE |
| 45. Council of the Baltic Sea States: draft declaration
<i>Approval</i> | | 10213/1/24 REV 1
COEST |

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| 46. | COASI – ASEAN Regional Forum 2024
<i>Authorisation to negotiate a non-binding instrument</i> | 9896/24
COASI |
| 47. | Iran restrictive measures – coordination with third states
<i>Approval</i> | 10193/24
MOG |
| 48. | (poss.) Council Decision on the conclusion of the Economic Partnership Agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Kenya
<i>Adoption</i> | <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">C</div> 10372/24
15958/23
ACP |

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A statement by Bulgaria is set out in document 10372/24 ADD 1.

EU positions for international negotiations

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| 49. | Council Decision on the EU position concerning Kuwait's accession to the International Sugar Agreement, 1992
<i>Adoption</i> | <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">C</div> 9788/24
9544/24
PROBA |
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| 50. | Council on the position to be adopted within the EU-UK Specialised Committee on Social Security Coordination
<i>Adoption</i> | <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">C</div> 9418/24
9869/24 + ADD 1
UK |
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| 51. | Council Decision and Implementing Regulation concerning restrictive measures against the Democratic People's Republic of Korea
<i>Adoption</i>
<i>Decision to use the written procedure</i> | <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">B</div> 8410/24
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