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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: Informal videoconference of the members of the Strategic Committee on Immigration, Frontiers and Asylum (**morning only**)

Date: 15 and 16 July 2020

Time: 10.00, 10.00

Venue: VTC

This virtual meeting will be held using the Council's video conferencing platform and will allow all participants to connect remotely. This means that every participant will connect from his/her computer, tablet or smartphone.

Each delegation is invited to inform the Council secretariat (jai.migration@consilium.europa.eu) by Friday 10 July 2020, (17:00, Brussels time) of the names of the persons participating. The maximum number of persons per Member State's delegation connecting is 1+1 (1 connection for the capital and 1 connection for the Permanent Representation).

Please be informed that interpretation services will not be available. The meeting will be held in English only.

An information note on how to access the system and the meeting access codes will be sent separately to participants, upon confirmation of their participation. Delegations will find below the agenda of the meeting.

Format: 1+1 (Presidency 2+1)

JULY 15, 2020

1. Current Asylum Situation¹
 - Presentation by EASO
 - = Exchange of views

2. COVID-19: Its impact on immigration, asylum and return and the path back to normality¹
 - Presentation by the Presidency
 - = Exchange of views
 - 9321/20 (will follow)

JULY 16, 2020

3. Impact of Digitalisation on Migration Management
 - Presentation by the Presidency
 - Presentation by GMDAC (IOM Global Migration Data Analysis Centre)
 - = Exchange of views
 - 9322/20 (will follow)

 4. Way forward: Strengthening migration management capacities in the Western Balkan region
 - Presentation by the Presidency
 - = Exchange of views
 - 9324/20 (will follow)

 5. Any other business
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NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal.

¹ Exceptionally, in the presence of the Schengen Associated States