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## COMMUNICATION

### **NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

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Subject:	Informal videoconference of the members of the Visa Working Party/ Mixed Committee (EU-Iceland/Norway and Switzerland/Liechtenstein)
Date:	17 September 2020
Time:	10.00
Venue:	Council VTC Platform

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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 ([visa@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:visa@consilium.europa.eu)) by Friday 11 September 2020, cob 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).**

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)**

**Mixed Committee**

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Resuming visa activities
  - Information by the Presidency, the Commission and exchange of views
3. State of play of the VIS negotiations
  - Information by the Presidency
4. Report from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council "Third Report under the Visa Suspension Mechanism"
  - Presentation by the Commission and discussion based on a Presidency Paper
    - 9571/20 + ADD 1
    - 10505/20 (to be issued)
5. (poss.) Visa Reciprocity: Update on recent developments
6. Brexit readiness, including state of play of notifications under Article 6 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1806
  - Information by the Commission
7. AOB
  - Training of Schengen evaluators in the visa policy field
    - = Information by the Commission

**Visa Working Party**

8. Russian visa obligation for holders of diplomatic passports
    - Information by the Commission
  9. AOB
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NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal.