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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Contact:	hdg@consilium.europa.eu
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Subject:	Informal Videoconference of the members of the Horizontal Working Party on Drugs
Date:	2 March 2021
Time:	14.30
Venue:	COUNCIL VTC Platform

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 her/his computer, tablet or smartphone.

Each delegation is invited to inform the Council secretariat (hdg@consilium.europa.eu) by Friday 26 February at 12.00 (noon) of the names of the persons participating. The maximum number of persons per EU 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

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. EU Action Plan on Drugs 2021 – 2025
WK 326/2021 REV 2 (to be issued)
3. Overview of the EU acquis applicable to cannabis in its different forms and components
 - Presentation of the updated non-paper by the Commission
WK 14407/2019 REV 1
4. Preparations for the 64th meeting of the CND, Vienna, 12-16 April 2021
 - a) Exchange of views on resolutions and side-events
WK 2577/2021 (to be issued)
WK 329/2021 REV 2
 - b) Draft Council Decision on international scheduling of NPS
 - Information by the Presidency on the state of play
ST 5803/1/21 REV 1
5. Preparation for the EU - U.S. Dialogue on Drugs (VC, 15 March 2021, pm)
 - Discussion and endorsement of the final draft agenda for the Dialogue
WK 1480/2021 REV 1
6. Preparation for the EU - Brazil Expert Meeting on Drugs (April 2021, date tbc)
WK 1358/2021
7. A.O.B.
 - a) 1st Brandenburg Forum in Geneva on “Building Bridges between the drug policy and human rights regimes of the United Nations” (11 February 2021) – report from Germany
 - b) European Web Survey on Drugs: patterns of use – information by the EMCDDA

NB: Council documents are available on Delegates' Portal.