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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	Informal Videoconference meeting of the members of the Working Party for Schengen Matters / Mixed Committee (EU-Iceland, Norway and Switzerland, Liechtenstein)
Date:	13 and 14 October 2021
Time:	10.00, 10.00
Venue:	Council VC 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 his/her computer, tablet or smartphone.

Each delegation is invited to inform the Council secretariat (Schengen.evaluation@consilium.europa.eu) **at the latest by Friday 8 October 2021 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)

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Schengen Evaluations
 - 2.1 Draft Council Implementing Decision setting out a recommendation on addressing the deficiencies identified in the 2020 evaluation of **Liechtenstein** on the application of the Schengen acquis in the field of **return**
 - = Presentation of compromise proposal and poss. agreement
12603/21 (to be issued)
 - 2.2 Draft Council Implementing Decision setting out a recommendation on addressing the deficiencies identified in the 2020 evaluation of **Austria** on the application of the Schengen acquis in the field of **return**
 - = Presentation of compromise proposal and poss. agreement
12604/21 (to be issued)
 - 2.3 Proposal for a Council Implementing Decision setting out a recommendation on addressing the deficiencies identified in the 2021 evaluation of the **Netherlands** on the application of the Schengen acquis in the field of **return**
 - = Presentation and poss. agreement
11801/21
 - 2.4 Proposal for a Council Implementing Decision setting out a recommendation on addressing the serious deficiencies identified in the 2021 evaluation of **Greece** on the application of the Schengen acquis in the field of **return**
 - = Presentation and poss. agreement
WK 11847/21 (to be issued)
 - 2.5 Proposal for a Council Implementing Decision setting out a recommendation on addressing the deficiencies identified in the 2021 evaluation of **France** on the application of the Schengen acquis in the field of **management of the external border**
 - = Presentation and poss. agreement
11800/21
 - 2.6 Proposal for a Council Implementing Decision setting out a recommendation on addressing the deficiencies identified in the 2021 evaluation of the **Netherlands** on the application of the Schengen acquis in the field of **management of the external border**
 - = Presentation and poss. agreement
WK 11848/21 (to be issued)

3. Draft Council Regulation on the establishment and operation of an evaluation and monitoring mechanism to verify the application of the Schengen acquis and repealing Regulation (EU) No 1053/2013 - Presidency compromise proposal
 - Presentation of Presidency compromise proposal and discussion
WK 11692/21
4. A.O.B.

NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal.