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| Subject: | Informal video conference of the members of the Working Party on Judicial Cooperation in Criminal matters (COPEN) (Afternoon only) |
| Date: | 20 December 2021 |
| Time: | 14.00 |
| 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.criminal.justice@consilium.europa.eu) by Wednesday 15 December 2021, cob of the names and e-mail addresses of the persons participating. The maximum number of persons connecting per Member State's delegation is 1+1 at each time.

An information note on how to access the system and the meeting access codes will be sent separately to participants on Thursday 16 or Friday 17 December 2021.

Delegations will find below the agenda of the meeting.

Format: 1+1

1. Adoption of the agenda
 2. Proposal for a Directive revising Directive 99/2008/EC on the protection of the environment through criminal law
 - Presentation by the Commission
 - First reactions by Member States
 - = 14459/21 (to be issued)
 3. Data retention
 - Presentation by the Commission of the overview of the Member States' contributions to the Commission's consultation launched on 16 June 2021
 4. E-evidence
 - Information by the Presidency on the state of play
 5. Short information from Eurojust:
 - a) Overview of Case-Law by the Court of Justice of the European Union on the European arrest warrant
 - b) Overview of Case-Law by the Court of Justice of the European Union on the Principle of ne bis in idem in Criminal Matters
 - = 14811/21
 - = 14812/21
 6. Short information from Eurojust and the European Judicial Network (EJN):
 - Compilation on the concept of 'issuing/executing judicial authority'
 - = 5607/3/21 REV 3
 7. Presentation by the incoming French Presidency of its intentions in the COPEN area
Approximately @ 16:30 :
 8. Ninth round of mutual evaluations
 - Presentation and discussion of the report on Greece (*)
 - = 14170/21
 9. AOB
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(*) In the presence of Eurojust and EJN.

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