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PROVISIONAL AGENDA

PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE (Part 2)

Europa building, Brussels

28 October 2026 (09:30)

Format 1+2+1 (+1 in listening room)

1. Adoption of the agenda
Approval of 'T' items in Annex

Discussion items (II)

General Affairs

19. Meeting of the Council (General Affairs) on 19 November 2026:
Agenda
20. Meeting of the Council (General Affairs/Cohesion) on 23
November 2026: Agenda
21. Commission Communication on preparing for a wider Union:
safeguards
Guidance for further work

14854/26
14810/26

Foreign Affairs

22. Meeting of the Council (Foreign Affairs) on 16 November 2026:
Agenda
23. Meeting of the Council (Foreign Affairs/Defence) on 17
November 2026: Agenda

Economic and Financial Affairs

24. Meeting of the Council (Economic and Financial Affairs) on 9 November 2026: Preparation

a) Tobacco taxation package



14755/26

i) Council Directive on the structure and rates of excise duty applied to tobacco

14681/1/26 REV 1

ii) Council Directive as regards the general arrangements for excise duty in respect of tobacco

14687/1/26 REV 1

General approach

b) Other items in connection with the Council meeting

Any other business¹



¹ Classified at level RESTREINT UE/EU RESTRICTED.

Non-discussion items (I)

Judicial Affairs

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| 25. | Case T-470/26, action for annulment, restrictive measures (Syria)
<i>Information note</i> | 14680/26
JUR |
| 26. | Case T-653/26, action for annulment, restrictive measures (Ukraine)
<i>Information note</i> | 14635/26
JUR |
| 27. | Case T-658/26, action for annulment, restrictive measures (Ukraine)
<i>Information note</i> | 14699/26
JUR |
| 28. | T-807/25 Action for annulment, restrictive measures, Ukraine
<i>Information note</i> | 14683/26 R-UE
JUR |
| 29. | Case C-1049/26 P, appeal against the judgment in case T-588/24 (restrictive measures Ukraine)
<i>Information note</i> | 14674/26
JUR |

Institutional Affairs

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| 30. | Minutes of Council meetings
<i>Approval</i> |  PV CONS |
| | a) GAC 22.09.2026 | 13532/26 +
ADD 1 REV 1 |
| | Other | |
| 31. | Attendance of third parties at the Working Party on Latin America and the Caribbean (COLAC) on 3 November 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 14788/26
COLAC |
| 32. | Attendance of third parties at the Legal, financial and institutional aspects of the CFSP (Sanctions) subgroup of the Working Party of Foreign Relations Counsellors (RELEX) on 4 November 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 14773/26
CORLX
CFSP/PESC |
| 33. | Attendance of third parties at the Working Party on Terrorism (International Aspects) (COTER) on 5 November 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 14677/26
COTER
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| 34. | Attendance of a third party at the Mashreq/Maghreb Working Party (MaMa) on 5 November 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 14802/26
MAMA
INTER-REP |
| 35. | Attendance of third parties at the Horizontal Working Party on Drugs (HDG) on 11 November 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 14713/26
CORDROGUE |
| 36. | Attendance of a third party at the Standing Committee on Operational Cooperation on Internal Security (COSI) on 11 November 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 14747/26
COSI |
| 37. | Attendance of third parties at the informal meeting in the margins of the Political and Security Committee (PSC) on 11 November 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 14691/26
14708/26
COPS |
| 38. | Attendance of a third party at the Working Party on Eastern Europe and Central Asia (COEST) on 12 November 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 14486/26
COEST |
| 39. | Attendance of a third party at the Working Party on the Western Balkans Region (COWEB) on 12 November 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 14772/26
COWEB |
| 40. | Attendance of a third party at the European Union Military Committee (EUMC) on 19 November 2026
<i>Approval</i> | 14120/26
EUMC |

Transparency

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| 41. | Confirmatory application No 52/c/05/26
<i>Approval</i> | 13290/26
API
INF |
| 42. | Public access to documents: request 3487/26
<i>Decision to make the statements public</i> |  14741/26
API
INF |

Economic and Financial Affairs

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| 43. | New Austrian commemorative coin
<i>Information note</i> | 13994/26
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| 44. | Addendum to the conclusions on climate finance 2026
<i>Approval</i> | | 13758/26
13760/26
ECOFIN
ENV |
| 45. | Council Implementing Decision authorising Denmark to extend a VAT Directive derogation
<i>Adoption</i> |  | 14175/26
14048/26
FISC
ECOFIN |
| 46. | Council Implementing Decision authorising Romania to extend a VAT Directive derogation
<i>Adoption</i> |  | 14168/26
13982/26
FISC
ECOFIN |
| 47. | European Court of Auditors' special report No 24/2026 on EU funding for innovation and competitiveness
<i>Designation of a Working Party</i>
<i>Attendance of the European Court of Auditors at the working party meeting</i> |  | 14781/26
FIN |
| 48. | Payment services Directive (PSD)
<i>Adoption of the Council's position at first reading and of the statement of the Council's reasons</i> |   | 14794/26
8535/26 + ADD 1
EF
ECOFIN |
| 49. | Payment services Regulation (PSR)
<i>Adoption of the Council's position at first reading and of the statement of the Council's reasons</i> |   | 14798/26
8543/26 +
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General Affairs

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| 51. | EP Resolutions and Decisions (October II 2026)
<i>Information note</i> | | 14523/26
PE-RE |
| 52. | EP debates (October II 2026)
<i>Information note</i> | | 14521/26
PE |
| 53. | Accession negotiations with Montenegro
EU common position on chapter 1: free movement of goods
<i>Approval</i> | | 14850/26 + COR 1
ELARG |

Justice and Home Affairs

55. European Court of Auditors' special report No 19/2026 on detecting and responding to cybersecurity incidents: intention not to draw up conclusions
Approval 14696/26
CYBER
56. Council Decision authorising the opening of negotiations for agreements between the EU and Bolivia, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Panama, Peru and the United Arab Emirates on cooperation with Eurojust
Adoption [C] 14276/26
14271/26 + ADD 1
COPEN
57. Coordination with third countries regarding restrictive measures against cyber attacks threatening the EU or its Member States
Approval 14800/1/26 REV 1
CYBER

Foreign Affairs

58. Council Decision on an assistance measure under the European Peace Facility to support the Armed Forces of Mauritania
Adoption 13191/26
13190/26
CORLX
CFSP/PESC
59. Council Decision (CFSP) 2026/455 on restrictive measures to combat terrorism: coordination with third states
Approval 14769/26
CORLX
CFSP/PESC
60. Upgrade of EU-ASEAN relations to a Comprehensive Strategic Partnership
Authorisation to negotiate a non-binding instrument 14176/26
COASI
61. Acquisition of full membership status by the EU in the Global Cybersecurity Labelling Initiative
Approval 14574/26
CYBER
62. Global standards framework under the Counter-Ransomware Initiative
Authorisation to sign a non-binding instrument 14567/26
CYBER

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| 63. | Joint declaration on the outcome of the 2026 Ukraine Mine Action Conference
<i>Authorisation to sign a non-binding instrument</i> | 14727/26
CONOP |
| 64. | Council Decision on the financial contributions to the European Development Fund: ceiling for 2028, annual amount for 2027, first instalment for 2027 and indicative non-binding forecast for 2029 and 2030
<i>Adoption</i> | [C] 14131/26
14129/26
ACP
FIN |
| 65. | Special meeting of the International Sugar Council as regards the election of the Executive Director of the International Sugar Organisation (ISO) (London, 6 November 2026)
<i>Establishment of the EU position</i> | 14446/26
PROBA |
| 66. | EU-African Union implementation plan on the sectoral areas of cooperation
<i>Approval of a non-binding instrument</i> | 14761/26
COAFR |
| 67. | EU-African Union follow-up mechanism
<i>Approval of a non-binding instrument</i> | 14759/26
COAFR |

EU positions for international negotiations

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| 68. | Council Decision on the EU position concerning an amendment to Annex II and Protocol 37 of the EEA Agreement (Directive on honey)
<i>Adoption</i> | [C] 14701/26
14255/26 + ADD 1
AELE |
| 69. | Council Decision on the EU position concerning an amendment to Annex IX to the EEA agreement (EMIR CCP)
<i>Adoption</i> | [C] 14702/26
14254/26 + ADD 1
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The following items have been withdrawn:

Economic and Financial Affairs

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| 50. | (poss.) Selection of chairpersons of European Supervisory Authorities: process within the Council
<i>Approval</i> | 14950/26
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Justice and Home Affairs

54. (poss.) Readmission agreement between the EU and Nigeria

C 14454/26
12944/26
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MIGR

a) Council Decision on the signing
Adoption

12948/26

b) Council Decision on the conclusion
Agreement in principle
Request for the consent of the European Parliament

12941/26



First reading



Special legislative procedure



Procedural decision by Coreper (Article 19(3)&(7) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)



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