

Brussels, 21 February 2025

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**NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA**  
PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE (Part 2)  
Europa building, Brussels  
26 February 2025 (09:00)

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

**Discussion items (II)**

**General Affairs**

Meeting of the Council (General Affairs) on 25 February 2025:  
Follow-up

Meeting of the Council (General Affairs) on 18 March 2025: Agenda

**Foreign Affairs**

Meeting of the Council (Foreign Affairs) on 24 February 2025:  
Follow-up

Meeting of the Council (Foreign Affairs) on 17 March 2025: Agenda

EU-US relations  
*Exchange of views*



Second EU-India Trade and Technology Council (New Delhi, 28  
February 2025): joint statement  
*Preparation for the approval of a non-binding instrument*  
*Decision to use the written procedure*



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EU-Central Asia summit (Samarkand, 4 April 2025)  
*Exchange of views*

(poss.) 8th EU-South Africa summit (Pretoria (tbc), 13 March 2025)  
*Exchange of views*

### **Economic and Financial Affairs**

Meeting of the Council (Economic and Financial Affairs) on  
11 March 2025: Preparation

- a) Other items in connection with the Council meeting

### **Justice and Home Affairs**

Meeting of the Council (Justice and Home Affairs) on 6 and 7 March  
2025: Preparation

### **Home Affairs**

- a) Overall state of the Schengen area
- i) Schengen barometer 6174/25  
*Exchange of views*
  - ii) Implementation of the priorities of the annual Schengen  
Council cycle: increasing the effectiveness of the return  
systems 6369/25  
*Exchange of views*
- b) Council Implementing Decision setting out a recommendation  
on the common areas for improvement identified in the 2024  
thematic Schengen evaluation in the field of return 6371/25  
*Adoption*
- c) Regulation on a progressive start of operations of the Entry/Exit 6364/25  
System **OC**  
*General approach*
- d) EU-Latin American Committee on Internal Security (CLASI) 6337/25  
cooperation  
*State of play*
- e) External dimension of migration 6272/25  
*State of play*

- f) The impact of the current geopolitical situation on EU's internal security
- i) Syria 6401/25  
*Exchange of views*
  - ii) Ukraine 6402/25  
*State of play*
- g) The fight against drug trafficking and organised crime 6373/25  
*State of play*

## Justice

- a) Directive harmonising certain aspects of insolvency law OC 6266/25  
*Policy debate*
- b) The rule of law as a pillar of democracy in Europe 6372/25  
*Exchange of views*
- c) Russia's war of aggression against Ukraine: fight against impunity 6146/25  
*State of play*
- d) Conclusions on the application of the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights: funding to promote, protect and enforce fundamental rights 6378/25  
*Approval*  
*Exchange of views*
- e) Other items in connection with the Council meeting

Any other business

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**In the margins of Coreper:**

**SCHENGEN MIXED COMMITTEE (11.30)**

**Justice and Home Affairs**

- a) Overall state of the Schengen area
- i) Schengen barometer 6174/25  
*Exchange of views*
  - ii) Implementation of the priorities of the annual Schengen Council cycle: increasing the effectiveness of the return systems 6369/25  
*Exchange of views*
- b) Council Implementing Decision setting out a recommendation on the common areas for improvement identified in the 2024 thematic Schengen evaluation in the field of return 6371/25  
*Exchange of views*
- c) Regulation on a progressive start of operations of the Entry/Exit System OC 6364/25  
*Policy debate*

**Non-discussion items (I)****Judicial Affairs**

Case T-271/22, action for annulment, restrictive measures (Ukraine)  
*Information note* 6247/25  
JUR


**Institutional Affairs**


Attendance of third parties at the Working Party on the Law of the Sea  
(COMAR) on 19 March 2025 6297/25  
*Approval* COMAR

Attendance of a third party at the Working Party on the 2030 Agenda  
for Sustainable Development (Agenda 2030) on 5 March 2025 6346/25  
*Approval* SUSTDEV

Attendance of a third party at the subgroup EU Maritime Security  
Strategy (EUMSS) of the Working Party on Maritime Issues on  
5 March 2025 6242/25  
*Approval* POLMAR

**Economic and Financial Affairs**

ECA SR No 05/2025 on cohesion's action for refugees in Europe  
*Designation of a Working Party*  6210/25  
*Attendance of the European Court of Auditors at the working party*  
*meeting* FIN


ECA SR No 04/2025 on EU military mobility  
*Designation of a Working Party*  6405/25  
*Attendance of the European Court of Auditors at the working party*  
*meeting* FIN

Report on developments in the EU's export finance system 5743/25 + ADD 1  
*Approval*


Council Implementing Decision authorising Greece to introduce a  
VAT derogation  6398/25  
*Adoption* 6135/25  
FISC


**General Affairs**

Enlargement countries in the Commission rule of law report 5529/25  
*Approval* FREMP

Regulation on establishing the Reform and Growth Facility for the Republic of Moldova  6399/25  
*Confirmation of the final compromise text with a view to agreement*

### **Foreign Affairs**

Council Decision on Union outreach activities in support of the Arms Trade Treaty  6120/25  
*Adoption*  
*Decision to use the written procedure*  
6119/25 + ADD 1  
CORLX


Council Decision amending Decision 2014/119/CFSP concerning restrictive measures directed against certain persons, entities and bodies in view of the situation in Ukraine  5994/25  
*Adoption*  
*Decision to use the written procedure*  
5990/25  
CORLX

Council Decision on an assistance measure under the European Peace Facility to support the Armed Forces of Montenegro  10741/3/24 REV 3  
*Adoption*  
*Decision to use the written procedure*  
10738/24  
CORLX

EU-Central Asia ministerial joint communiqué 6365/25  
*Endorsement* COEST

CFSP Exercise Programme 2025-2029 5968/25  
*Approval* COPS

ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaeda restrictive measures: coordination with third states 6389/25  
*Approval* CORLX

Council Decision on the signing and conclusion of the Agreement between the EU and Armenia establishing a framework for the participation of Armenia in EU crisis management operations  6194/25  
*Adoption*  
*Decision to use the written procedure*  
6192/25  
6193/25  
CORLX

### **EU positions for international negotiations**

Council Decision on the EU position at the 68th session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs as regards placing new psychoactive substances under international control  6158/25  
*Adoption*  
6155/25  
CORDROGUE



First reading



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



Restricted item



Item based on a Commission proposal

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