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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Contact:	jai.migration@consilium.europa.eu
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Subject:	Working Party on Integration, Migration and Expulsion (IMEX Expulsion)
Date:	23 April 2025
Time:	10:00
Venue:	COUNCIL LEX BUILDING Rue de la Loi 145, 1048 BRUSSELS

Format: 1+ 2 (Presidency 2+2)

1. Adoption of the agenda

COMIX items

2. Visa Code Article 25a exercise

- Ethiopia: update by the Presidency, Commission and the EEAS and exchange of views on readmission cooperation¹
- Update by the Commission and the EEAS on the state of implementation of Article 25a Visa Code
- Exchange of views on readmission cooperation by Somalia
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3. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a common system for the return of third-country nationals staying illegally in the Union, and repealing Directive 2008/115/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council, Council Directive 2001/40/EC and Council Decision 2004/191/EC

- Presentation by the Commission and continuation of exchange of views on Chapters VI and VII
- Presentation by the Commission and continuation of exchange of views on the definition of voluntary return, issuance of return decision, relation between voluntary return and removal
- Presentation by the Commission of Article 9 (Recognition and enforcement of return decisions issued by another Member State)

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4. AOB

Non-COMIX items

5. Draft Council Decision authorising the opening of negotiations on an agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Kazakhstan on readmission

- Revised Presidency compromise proposal and exchange of views

7012/25 + ADD 1 REV 1 (R-UE/EU-R) (to be issued)

6. AOB

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NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal.

¹ COAFR delegates are invited to join this agenda subpoint