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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Contact:	efta@consilium.europa.eu
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Subject:	Working Party on European Free Trade Association (EFTA)
Date:	28 April 2025
Time:	14:30
Venue:	COUNCIL JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

1. SWISS CONFEDERATION

1.1. EU-Switzerland relations – outcome of the negotiation of a broad package of measures with Switzerland: Agreement on the participation of the Swiss Confederation in Union programmes

Presentation by the Commission and discussion (ST 8008/25 + ADD 1, ST 8009/25 + ADD 1, WK 3931/2025)

2. ASSOCIATION AGREEMENT WITH ANDORRA AND SAN MARINO

2.1. Draft Council Decisions on the conclusion, and on the signing and provisional application of the Agreement establishing an association between the European Union and the Principality of Andorra and the Republic of San Marino respectively – Proposal for a targeted modification of the Framework Protocol 3 on Financial Services to the Association Agreement

Continuation of the discussion on the Presidency compromise draft Council Decisions on the conclusion, and on the signing and provisional application of the Association Agreement with Andorra and San Marino (WK 4293/25, WK 4295/25) and the Commission services Proposal for a targeted modification of the Framework Protocol 3 on Financial Services to the Association Agreement (WK 4292/25)

3. EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA

3.1. EFTA Court – Overview of the second semester of 2024

Debriefing by the Commission

3.2. Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted, on behalf of the European Union, within the EEA Joint Committee concerning an amendment to Protocol 31 to the EEA Agreement, on cooperation in specific fields outside the four freedoms (Budget Line 07 20 03 01 - Social Security)

Debriefing by the Commission (ST 8247/25 + ADD 1)

4. HOLY SEE

4.1. The EEAS will debrief the EFTA WP on the passing of Pope Francis

5. A.O.B.

NB: Delegations are asked to submit their requests for "other business" items to the General Secretariat, efta@consilium.europa.eu, in writing by **Friday, 25 April 2025, 12.00 (noon)**.