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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Contact:	hdg@consilium.europa.eu
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Subject:	EU-Western Balkans Experts meeting on Drugs
Date:	21 November 2025
Time:	09:30
Venue:	COUNCIL LEX BUILDING Rue de la Loi 145, 1048 BRUSSELS

Format: 1 + 2

NB: The meeting will be held in English

1. **Adoption of the agenda**
2. **Areas of EU-Western Balkans cooperation**
 - a) Update on the recent drug policy developments, drug situation and trends

- b) Exchange on the available instruments, tools and programmes for strengthening EU-Western Balkans cooperation on drugs

- 3. **Exchange of information and best practices in the fight against drug trafficking, including on trafficking routes and new modi operandi**
- 4. **Focus on evidence-based prevention of drug use, including among youth: exchange of best practices and innovative approaches.**
- 5. **A.O.B.**

NB: Delegations are reminded to register their presence in the delegates portal.

NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal. Room attendants will provide copies on request at the earliest opportunity.