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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	Research (Atomic Questions) Working Party Meeting
Date:	8 January 2026
Time:	10:00
Venue:	COUNCIL JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

1. Commission proposals on the Research Fund for Coal and Steel (RFCS)
 - Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION laying down the measures necessary for the implementation of Protocol No 37 on the financial consequences of the expiry of the ECSC Treaty and on the Research Fund for Coal and Steel, annexed to the Treaty on European Union and to the Treaty for the Functioning of the European Union (doc. 16710/25 + ADD 1-2)
 - Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the adoption of the Research Programme of the Research Fund for Coal and Steel, on the multiannual technical guidelines for this programme, on the multiannual financial guidelines for managing the assets of the Research Fund for Coal and Steel, and repealing Decisions 2003/77/EC and 2008/376/EC (doc. 16733/25 + ADD 1-2)
 - Examination

2. Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION establishing the research and training programme of the European Atomic Energy Community for the period 2028-2032, complementing Horizon Europe, the Framework Programme for Research and Innovation, and providing for the Community's contribution to the ITER project, and repealing Regulation (Euratom) 2025/1304
(doc. 12496/25 + ADD 1)

– Examination

3. Any other business

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