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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	WORKING PARTY ON COMPETITIVENESS AND GROWTH (Industry)
Date:	12 January 2026
Time:	14:30
Venue:	COUNCIL JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

1. Adoption of the provisional agenda
2. Commission's intention to negotiate a Memorandum of Understanding on behalf of the EU with the United States, establishing a Strategic Partnership on critical minerals
 - Examination
3. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) 2024/1252
 - Examination
(doc. 16460/25)
3. Any other business

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