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## **COMMUNICATION**

### **NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

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Contact:	hdg@consilium.europa.eu
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Subject:	Meeting of the Horizontal Working Party on Drugs
Date:	11 December 2024
Time:	09:30
Venue:	COUNCIL LEX BUILDING Rue de la Loi 145, 1048 BRUSSELS

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Format 2+2

11 December 2024, 9:30 – 18:00

- 1. Adoption of the agenda**
- 2. Fighting drug trafficking and organised crime: State of progress on the Presidency's priorities based on the Commission's Roadmap (\*)<sup>1</sup>**

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<sup>1</sup> EUDA and Europol are invited to participate in the items marked with an (\*).

3. **Update on the ongoing evaluation of the EU Drugs Strategy and EU Drugs Action Plan 2021-2025 (\*)**
4. **Annual research Dialogue (\*)**
  - Presentation by the Commission of drug-related research funding  
WK 15768/2024
  - Presentation by the EUDA on its new mandate on research, innovation and foresight
  - Presentation by Europol of the work of the EU Innovation Hub
  - Exchange of views
5. **Drug-related topics at the UN - United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, Commission on Narcotic Drugs (\*)**
  - a) Outcome of the CND Thematic Discussions at the 3<sup>rd</sup> Intersessional meeting (Vienna, 12-14 November 2024)
  - b) Outcome of the reconvened 67th session of the CND
  - c) Preparations for the regular 68th session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs
    - Presentation by the Poland of the draft resolution on safety of officers in dismantling synthetic opioid laboratories  
WK 14070/2024
    - Presentation by France of the state of play of the draft resolution on tackling the environmental impact of drugs  
WK 12801/2024
    - Other issues
  - d) Update and exchange of views on drug-related initiatives at other UN bodies
6. **Bilateral and regional dialogues on drugs and other exchanges with third countries (\*)**
  - a) Report on the EU-Western Balkans Dialogue on Drugs (Brussels, 12 November 2024)
  - b) Preparation of the thematic exchange with Ukraine (Brussels, date to be confirmed)

## **7. Preparation of the joint HDG-CSFD meeting**

WK 13492/2024, WK 13493/2024 REV 1

## **8. Drug-related developments and practices in EU Member States (\*)**

- a) Presentation by Czechia on the legislation on psychomodulatory substances

## **9. Summary of the Hungarian Presidency at the HDG (\*)**

- a) Outcome of the thematic debate on poly-substance use  
ST 16684/24 (to be issued)
- b) Outcome of the thematic debate on synthetic opioids in Europe  
ST 16685/24 (to be issued)
- c) Outcome of the thematic debate on drug-trafficking on encrypted and non-encrypted platforms  
ST 16686/24 (to be issued)
- d) Outcome of the thematic debate on adapting to the evolving landscape of the European drug market  
ST 16687/24
- e) Report on the meeting of National Drug Coordinators (Budapest, 2-3 December 2024)
- f) Presentation of the report on the activities of the Hungarian Presidency  
ST 16242/24 (to be issued)

## **10. Presentation of the incoming Polish Presidency of the Council of the EU (\*)**

## **11. Any other business**

- Information by the Commission on Eurobarometer survey on the impact of drugs on local communities
- Information by the Commission on the inaugural meeting in Nairobi (5-6 December) of a network of Western Indian Ocean drugs focal points under the EU ACT project

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