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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: Working Party on Civil Protection (full day meeting)

Date: 25 March 2026
Time: 09:30
Venue: COUNCIL
JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING
Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

Format: 1+2

1. Proposal for a Regulation on the Union Civil Protection Mechanism and Union support for health emergency preparedness and response, and repealing Decision No 1313/2013/EU.¹
 - **Presentation by the Presidency of the Second partial Presidency Compromise on Cluster 3 (including the Cross-sectorial Crisis Support Hub).**
 - Exchange of views

¹ Delegates from the Ad hoc Working Party on preparedness, response capability and resilience to future crises **and** the Health Public Policy Working Party are invited to attend this agenda item.

- **Presentation by the Commission on Article 9 of the Commission proposal** as well as the role of **associated third countries** in the whole Regulation.
- Exchange of views

- **Presentation by the Commission on Article 2.6 of the Commission proposal** as well as how it compares to the status-quo in the legislative files (of the current MFF 2021–2027) on the **stockpiling of medical countermeasures**. The Commission will also provide a presentation on how the health actions potentially financeable in the ongoing MFF compares to the potentially financeable health activities through the Commission proposal for the UCPM-HER of 2028-2034.
- Exchange of views

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WK 4039/26 (*to be issued*)

WK 4040/26 (*to be issued*)

2. Ongoing emergencies
 - Presentation by the Commission
3. International Affairs, including expansion of the UCPM
 - Information by the Commission
4. AOB

NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal.