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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: WORKING PARTY ON COMPETITIVENESS AND GROWTH (Industry)

Date: 23 March 2026
Time: 10:00
Venue: COUNCIL
JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING
Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

1. Adoption of the provisional agenda
2. Memorandum of Understanding to be signed on behalf of the EU to establish a Strategic Partnership on Critical Minerals with the United States, and EU-US Action Plan for Critical Minerals Supply Chain Resilience
 - Examination
3. Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL establishing a framework of measures for the acceleration of industrial capacity and decarbonisation in strategic sectors and amending Regulations (EU) 2018/1724, (EU) 2024/1735 and (EU) 2024/3110
 - Examination of the proposal
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4. Any other business

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