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**DRAFT MINUTES**  
COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION  
(Foreign Affairs)  
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## 1. Adoption of the agenda

The Council adopted the agenda set out in document 7260/26.

## 2. Approval of "A" items

### a) Non-legislative list

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The Council adopted all A items listed in the document above, including all linguistic COR and REV documents presented for adoption. Statements to these items are set out in the Addendum.

### Non-legislative activities

## 3. Current affairs

## 4. Russia's war of aggression against Ukraine<sup>1</sup>

*Exchange of views*

## 5. Situation in the Middle East

*Exchange of views*

## 6. EU Southern Neighbourhood

*Exchange of views*

## 7. Any other business

### a) Political developments in Georgia

*Information from Germany and France*

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### b) Russia's allegations of non-compliance with the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination (CERD)

*Information from Lithuania, Estonia and Latvia*

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<sup>1</sup> In the presence of the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine