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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: Working Party on European Free Trade Association (EFTA)

Date: 14 April 2026

Time: 14:30

Venue: COUNCIL

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Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

1. COUNCIL CONCLUSIONS ON A HOMOGENEOUS EXTENDED INTERNAL MARKET

1.1. EU - Faroe Islands relations

Orientation debate on Faroe Islands, in preparation of the Council conclusions on a homogeneous extended internal market and EU relations with Non-EU Western European countries and with the Faroe Islands. The debate will be preceded by an informal meeting of the members of the EFTA Group with Her Excellency Elisabeth F. Rasmussen, Head of Mission of Faroe Islands to the European Union

2. ASSOCIATION AGREEMENT WITH ANDORRA AND SAN MARINO

2.1. Draft Council Decisions on the signing and provisional application and on the conclusion of the Agreement establishing an association between the European Union and the Principality of Andorra and the Republic of San Marino respectively - Framework Agreement and the Framework Protocols

Discussion on the draft Council Decisions on the signing and provisional application and on the conclusion with the view to reach an agreement (ST 5290/25 + ADD 1, ST 5291/25)

Discussion on the revised Framework Agreement and the Framework Protocols with the view to reach an agreement (ST 11787/24 REV 1 + ST 11787/24 ADD 1-16)

Continuation of the discussions and way forward

3. COUNCIL CONCLUSIONS ON A HOMOGENEOUS EXTENDED INTERNAL MARKET

3.1. Draft Council Conclusions – Part on Monaco

The EFTA Working Party will examine the draft of the Council Conclusions on a homogeneous extended internal market, regarding the part on Monaco, followed by a discussion and possible agreement (WK 5020/26 REV 1)

3.2. Draft Council Conclusions – Part on San Marino

The EFTA Working Party will examine the draft of the Council Conclusions on a homogeneous extended internal market, regarding the part on San Marino, followed by a discussion and possible agreement (WK 4636/26)

4. EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA

4.1. Preparations for the 62nd meeting of the EEA Council

Discussion on the draft EEA Council Conclusions (WK 3174/26 REV 4)

4.2. Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted, on behalf of the European Union, within the EEA Joint Committee concerning an amendment to Annex IX (Financial services) to the EEA Agreement (Supervision of certain benchmark administrators by ESMA)

Presentation by the Commission (ST 7987/26 + ADD 1)

5. A.O.B.

NB: Delegations are asked to submit their requests for "other business" items to the General Secretariat, efta@consilium.europa.eu, in writing by **Monday, 13 April 2026, 12.00 (noon)**.