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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Contact:	LIFE.3@consilium.europa.eu
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Subject:	Working Party on Animals and Veterinary Questions (Chief Veterinary Officers)
Date:	6 and 7 July 2026
Time:	14:30, 10:00
Venue:	COUNCIL JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

Format 1+2+1

1. Work programme of the Irish Presidency

- *Presentation by the Presidency*

2. World Organisation for Animal Health (WOAH)

a) State of play and work on WOAH during the Irish Presidency

- *Information from the Presidency*
- *Exchange of views*

b) WOAH Governance Review Committee - Preparation for upcoming GRC meetings

- *Information from the Presidency and a member of the WOAH Governance Review Committee*
- *Exchange of views*

c) Potential membership of regional economic integration organisations (REIOS) in WOAH

- *Exchange of views*

3. EuFMD

- *Information from the Vice-Chair of the EuFMD Executive Committee*
- *Exchange of views*

4. Risk Communication

- *Presentation by the Presidency*
- *Presentation by the German Delegation*
- *Presentation by the Slovak Delegation*
- *Presentation by the Cyprus Delegation*
- *Exchange of views*

5. Biological Threats

- *Presentation by the Presidency*
- *Exchange of views*

6. Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union in the Joint Committee established by the Agreement between the European Community, of the one part, and the Government of Denmark and the Home Government of the Faroe Islands, of the other part as regards the provisions to implement the Protocol on veterinary matters supplementing the Agreement (doc. 11282/26 + ADD 1)

- *Presentation by the Commission services*
- *Exchange of views*

7. Biosecurity at the Wildlife Interface

- *Presentation by the Presidency*
- *Exchange of views*

8. Any other business

a) Animal Health Situation Update (FMD)

- *Information from the Cyprus delegation*
- *Information from the Greek delegation*

b) Newcastle disease (ND) – update on epidemiological situation in Poland and control measures taken by the Polish veterinary service

- *Presentation by the Polish delegation*

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