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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: Working Party on Tax Questions (Indirect Taxation) - **Morning only**

Date: 14 September 2026

Time: 10:00

Venue: COUNCIL

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Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

Format: 1+2 + 1

1. a) Draft Council Directive on the structure and rates of excise duty applied to raw tobacco, manufactured tobacco and tobacco related products (recast)
- b) Draft Council Directive amending Directive (EU) 2020/262 as regards the general arrangements for excise duty in respect of raw tobacco, manufactured tobacco and tobacco related products
 - *Exchange of views on the basis of the Presidency steering note*
2. Any other business

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