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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	Working Party on European Free Trade Association (EFTA)
Date:	15 September 2026
Time:	14:30
Venue:	COUNCIL JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

Format: 1+1

1. EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA

1.1. 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 IV (Energy) concerning the Regulation (EU) No 312/2014 establishing a Network Code on Gas Balancing of Transmission Networks

Presentation by the Commission

Exchange of views with a view to agreement (ST 11741/26 + ADD 1)

- 1.2. 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 IV (Energy) concerning the Regulation (EU) 2015/703 establishing a network code on interoperability and data exchange rules**

Presentation by the Commission

Exchange of views with a view to agreement (ST 11742/26 + ADD 1)

- 1.3. 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 IV (Energy) concerning the Regulation (EU) 2017/459 establishing a network code on capacity allocation mechanisms in gas transmission systems and repealing Regulation (EU) No 984/2013**

Presentation by the Commission

Exchange of views with a view to agreement (ST 11744/26 + ADD 1)

- 1.4. 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 IV (Energy) concerning the Regulation (EU) 2017/460 establishing a network code on harmonised transmission tariff structures for gas**

Presentation by the Commission

Exchange of views with a view to agreement (ST 11745/26 + ADD 1)

- 1.5. 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 Protocol 10 to the EEA Agreement, on simplification of inspections and formalities in respect of carriage of goods, and Protocol 31 to the EEA Agreement, on cooperation in specific fields outside the four freedoms (CBAM Financial Contribution)**

Presentation by the Commission

Exchange of views with a view to agreement (ST 11752/26 + ADD 1)

1.6. Preparations for the 63rd meeting of the EEA Council

Discussion on the draft EEA Council conclusions (WK 13811/26)

2. ICELAND

2.2. EU-Iceland relations – state of play

Information from the Commission and EEAS

3. 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, 14 September 2026, 12.00 (noon)**.