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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: WORKING PARTY ON ENLARGEMENT AND COUNTRIES
NEGOTIATING ACCESSION TO THE EU

Date: 29 September 2026

Time: 10:00

Venue: COUNCIL

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1. Ukraine

- Outcome of screening on clusters 2 and 3 (WK 8758/26; WK 8761/26)

2. Republic of Moldova

- Outcome of screening on clusters 2 and 3 (WK 8760/26; WK 8762/26)

3. Albania

- Draft EU Common Position for Chapter 20 (Enterprise and industrial policy): Exchange of views (WK 14290/26 REV1 to follow)

4. Montenegro

- Draft EU Common Position for Chapter 18 (Statistics): Exchange of views (WK 13379/26 COR1 REV1)
- Draft EU Common Position for Chapter 19 (Social policy and employment): Exchange of views (WK13380/26 COR1 REV5)
- Draft EU Common Position on Chapter 14 (Transport policy): Exchange of views (WK 9132/26 REV1)
- Draft EU Common Position for Chapter 1 (Free movement of goods): Exchange of views (document to follow)
- Draft EU Common Position for Chapter 12 (Food safety, veterinary and phytosanitary policy): Exchange of views (document to follow)
- Draft EU Common Position for Chapter 17 (Economic and monetary policy): Exchange of views (document to follow)
- Draft Common Position for Chapter 16 (Taxation): Presentation, followed by Q & A (ST 13537/26)

5. Draft Council conclusions on the financial package for the accession negotiations with Montenegro (WK 13296/26 REV1)

6. AOB
