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**PROVISIONAL AGENDA**  
COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION  
(Environment)  
Europa building, Brussels  
20 December 2018 (9.30)

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Approval of "A" items
  - a) Non-legislative list 15357/18
  - b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union) 15358/18

**Legislative deliberations**

**(Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)**

3. Regulation on CO2 standards for heavy-duty vehicles  15615/18  
*General approach* 8922/1/18 REV 1  
+ ADD 1 REV 1

**Non-legislative activities**

4. Clean Planet for all: Strategic long-term vision for a climate neutral economy 15210/1/18 REV 1  
*Presentation by the Commission and exchange of views* 15011/18

## **Legislative deliberations**

### **(Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)**

5. Regulation on LIFE C1 15489/18 + COR 1  
9651/18 + ADD 1  
9651/1/18 REV 1  
*Partial general approach*

## **Any other business**

6. a) Report on recent international meeting  
COP 24 United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change 15645/18  
(Katowice, Poland, 2-14 December 2018)  
*Information from the Presidency, the Commission and the Polish delegation*
- b) Report on the implementation of the EU Strategy on adaptation to climate change 14328/18  
*Information from the Commission*
- c) Graz Declaration - Starting a new era: Clean, safe and affordable mobility for Europe 15476/18  
Outcome of the Informal Meeting of Environment and Transport Ministers (Graz, Austria, 29-30 October 2018)  
*Information from the Presidency*
- d) Adoption of measures at EU level to create the conditions for discontinuing the use of the environmentally problematic substances contained in plant protection products 15443/18  
*Information from the Belgian delegation*
- e) Intermediary Sessions of the Meetings of the Parties to the Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context (Espoo Convention) and the Protocol on Strategic Environmental Assessment (SEA) 15446/18  
(Geneva, 5-7 February 2019)  
*Information from the Lithuanian delegation, supported by the Luxembourg delegation*

- f) Current legislative proposals C1  
(Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of  
the Treaty on European Union)
- i) Regulation on taxonomy 9355/18
  - ii) Directive on single-use plastics 9465/18 + COR 1  
+ ADD 1
  - iii) Regulation on persistent organic pollutants (POPs)  
(recast) 7470/18 + ADD 1
  - iv) Regulation on the alignment of environmental  
reporting obligations 9617/18
  - v) Directive on drinking water (recast) 5846/18 + ADD 1
  - vi) Regulation on CO2 standards for cars and vans 14217/17 + ADD 1  
*Information from the Presidency* 14217/1/17 REV 1  
+ ADD 1 REV 1
- g) Report on recent international meeting  
Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) 15700/18  
(Sharm El-Sheikh, Egypt, 17-29 November 2018)
- COP 14 to the CBD
  - COP-MOP 9 serving as the Meeting of the Parties to  
the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety
  - COP-MOP 3 serving as the Meeting of the Parties to  
the Nagoya Protocol on Access and Benefit Sharing
- Information from the Presidency and the Commission*
- h) Illegal Wildlife Trade Conference 15518/18  
(London, 11-12 October 2018)  
*Information from the United Kingdom delegation*
- i) The future of European Environment Policy – Towards an 8th Environment Action Programme 15536/18  
Outcome of the Informal Meeting of Environment and  
Transport Ministers (Graz, Austria, 29-30 October 2018)  
*Information from the Presidency*

- j) The environmental and climate ambition of the future  
Common Agricultural Policy (CAP)  
*Information from the German delegation, supported by the  
Luxembourg delegation*
- k) Work programme of the incoming Presidency  
*Information from the Romanian delegation*

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- ☒ First reading
- ☐ Item based on a Commission proposal
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