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**NOTE**

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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
Subject:	Meeting of the European Council (Art. 50) (22 or 23 March 2018) - Annotated draft agenda

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*In accordance with Article 3(1) of the Rules of Procedure of the European Council, the President of the European Council, in close cooperation with the member of the European Council representing the Member State holding the six-monthly Presidency of the Council and with the President of the Commission, is to submit an annotated draft agenda to the General Affairs Council (Art. 50).*

*Delegations<sup>1</sup> will find attached the annotated draft agenda submitted by the President of the European Council, setting out the main item the European Council (Art. 50) is expected to address at the above meeting.*

*In the light of the final discussion to be held by the General Affairs Council (Art. 50) within the five days preceding the European Council (Art. 50) meeting, the President of the European Council is to draw up the provisional agenda.*

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<sup>1</sup> Following a notification under Article 50 TEU, the member of the European Council or of the Council representing the withdrawing Member State shall not participate in the discussions of the European Council or Council or in decisions concerning it.

**I. NEGOTIATIONS FOLLOWING THE UNITED KINGDOM'S NOTIFICATION**  
**UNDER ARTICLE 50 TEU**

The European Council will review the state of the negotiations following the United Kingdom's notification under Article 50 TEU and adopt additional guidelines.

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