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**NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

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Subject:                 Working Party on Customs Union (Directors General of Customs)  
Date:                     23 January 2025  
Time:                     10:00  
Venue:                    EUROPA BUILDING  
                                  Rue de la Loi 167, 1048 BRUSSELS

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**Format: 1+2+1**

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Information by the Presidency
3. Strategic Outlook for the World Customs Organization in 2025
  - *Presentation by the Deputy Secretary General of the WCO*

4. Strategic Outlook on the Customs Union in 2025
  - *Presentation by the Commission*
  
5. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Union Customs Code and the European Union Customs Authority, and repealing Regulation (EU) No 952/2013 and proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 as regards the introduction of a simplified tariff treatment for the distance sales of goods and Regulation (EC) No 1186/2009 as regards the elimination of the customs duty relief threshold
  - *Information by the Presidency regarding the state of play and the way forward*
    - *Docs. ST 9596/23 + ADD1 + ADD2 + ADD3 + ADD4 and ST 9625/23 + ADD1*
  
6. Security and customs control challenges for customs administration based on experiences and problems arising within the e-commerce phenomenon
  - *Orientation debate*
    - *Doc. to follow*
  
7. Agreement on the Regional Approach to Ensure Uniform Customs Controls and Information Exchange for Implementation of the EU Restrictive Measures
  - *Presentation by the Presidency and the Lithuanian Delegation regarding the practical aspects of implementation*
  
8. Any other business

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