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## COMMUNICATION

### **NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

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Subject: Working Party on Integration, Migration and Expulsion (IMEX Expulsion)

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Date: 23 April 2025

Time: 10:00

Venue: COUNCIL

EUROPA BUILDING

Rue de la Loi 167, 1048 BRUSSELS

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### **Format: 1+ 2 (Presidency 2+2)**

#### **1. Adoption of the agenda**

## *COMIX items*

### **2. Visa Code Article 25a exercise**

- Ethiopia: update by the Presidency, Commission and the EEAS and exchange of views on readmission cooperation<sup>1</sup>
- Update by the Commission and the EEAS on the state of implementation of Article 25a Visa Code
- Exchange of views on readmission cooperation by Somalia

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### **3. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a common system for the return of third-country nationals staying illegally in the Union, and repealing Directive 2008/115/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council, Council Directive 2001/40/EC and Council Decision 2004/191/EC**

- Presentation by the Commission and continuation of exchange of views on Chapters VI and VII
- Presentation by the Commission and continuation of exchange of views on the definition of voluntary return, issuance of return decision, relation between voluntary return and removal
- Presentation by the Commission of Article 9 (Recognition and enforcement of return decisions issued by another Member State)

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### **4. AOB**

## *Non-COMIX items*

### **5. Draft Council Decision authorising the opening of negotiations on an agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Kazakhstan on readmission**

- Revised Presidency compromise proposal and exchange of views

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### **6. AOB**

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NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal.

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<sup>1</sup> COAFR delegates are invited to join this agenda subpoint