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## NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION<sup>1</sup>  
(Foreign Affairs/Defence)

Europa building, Brussels

12 May 2026 (11:00)

### **Format 1+2+1 (+2 in listening room)**

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

### **Non-legislative activities**

Current affairs

Updated comprehensive threat analysis<sup>2</sup>



*Presentation*

*Guidance for further work*

EU support to Ukraine<sup>3</sup>

*Exchange of views*

Situation in the Middle East and its implication for European defence  
and security

*Exchange of views*

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<sup>1</sup> In the presence of the Chief Executive of the European Defence Agency

<sup>2</sup> Classified at level RESTREINT UE/EU RESTRICTED

<sup>3</sup> In the presence of the Minister of Defence of Ukraine (via videoconference) and the Secretary-General of NATO

Defence readiness<sup>4</sup>  
*Exchange of views*

Any other business

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**p.m.:**

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<sup>4</sup> Preceded by a short presentation by the President of the Aerospace, Security and Defence Industries Association of Europe (transparency register number: 72699997886-5)