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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA
COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
(Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs)
Europa building, Brussels
7 May 2024 (09:30)

Meeting format: 2+2 (+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)

Legislative deliberations

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

Directive on implementing the principle of equal treatment
(Article 19)
General approach

SC 11531/08

Non-legislative activities

Conclusions on economic empowerment and financial independence of women as a pathway to substantive gender equality [2] 8957/24
Approval

Women in public life [2] 8947/24
Policy debate

Any other business

- (a) Presidency events [2]
 - (i) Informal meeting of gender equality ministers (Brussels, 26-27 February 2024)
 - (ii) LGBTIQ conference (Brussels, 17 May 2024)*Information from the Presidency*
- (b) Change to the name of the Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs Council configuration [2]
Information from the Presidency
- (c) Survey on violence against women – state of play [2]
Information from the Commission
- (d) Implementation of the EU's accession to the Istanbul Convention – state of play [2]
Information from the Presidency and the Commission
- (e) Preparation of the Communication on the implementation of the LGBTIQ Equality Strategy 2020-2025 – state of play [2] 13081/20
Information from the Commission

- (f) Communication on progress made in implementing the EU anti-racism action plan – state of play [2]
Information from the Commission
- (g) EU candidate for the elections to the United Nations Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities [2]
Information from the Commission

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- [C] Item based on a Commission proposal
- [S] Special legislative procedure
- [2] Public debate proposed by the Presidency (Article 8(2) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)

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