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## **COMMUNICATION**

## NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Contact:	hdg@consilium.europa.eu
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Subject:	Informal Videoconference of the members of the Horizontal Working Party on Drugs
Date:	4 May 2021
Time:	9.30
Venue:	COUNCIL VTC Platform

This virtual meeting will be held using the Council's video conferencing platform and will allow all participants to connect remotely. This means that every participant will connect from her/his computer, tablet or smartphone.

Each delegation is invited to inform the Council secretariat (hdg@consilium.europa.eu) <u>by</u> <u>Thursday 29 April (cob)</u> of the names of the persons participating. The maximum number of persons per EU Member State's delegation connecting is 1+1 (1 connection for the capital and 1 connection for the Permanent Representation).

An information note on how to access the system and the meeting access codes will be sent separately to participants, upon confirmation of their participation. Delegations will find below the agenda of the meeting.

## <u>Format: 1 + 1</u>

- 1. Adoption of the agenda
- EU Action Plan on Drugs 2021 2025
  WK 326/2021 REV 4 (to be issued)
- Report on the 64th meeting of the CND, Vienna, 12-16 April 2021 WK 5655/2021
- 4. SOCTA 2021, Organised crime, EMPACT information on developments
  - a) Developments on EMPACT information by the Presidency ST 6481/21, ST 8051/1/21 REV 1
  - b) SOCTA 2021 presentation by EUROPOL ST 6818/21
  - EU Strategy to tackle Organized Crime 2021-2025 presentation by the European Commission ST 8085/21 + ADD 1
- Preparations for the EU CELAC Technical Committee Meeting on Drugs (VC, 4 May 2021, pm)
   CM 2943/21, WK 5066/2021, WK 5068/2021, WK 5367/2021
- Preparations for the EU Brazil Expert Meeting on Drugs (VC, 11 May 2021, pm) WK 1358/2021
- 7. A.O.B.
  - a) Report on the First Intergovernmental Meeting on the Guidelines on International Drug Control Requirements for the Cultivation, Manufacture and Utilization of Cannabis for Medical and Scientific Purpose (24 March 2021) - information by the EEAS
  - b) Report on the EU U.S. Dialogue on Drugs (VC, 15 March 2021) information by the Presidency
  - c) EU National Drug Coordinators Meeting (VC, 20 May 2020, pm) information by the Presidency

NB: Council documents are available on Delegates' Portal.