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Subject:	Working Party on Judicial Cooperation in Criminal Matters (COPEN - General Matters)
Date:	28 June 2023
Time:	10:00
Venue:	COUNCIL LEX BUILDING Rue de la Loi 145, 1048 BRUSSELS

Format 2+2

Morning

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Negotiations for Agreements between the European Union and Algeria, Argentina, Armenia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Colombia, Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco, Tunisia and Turkey on cooperation between the European Union Agency for Criminal Justice Cooperation (Eurojust) and the competent authorities for judicial cooperation in criminal matters of those third States
 - Information from the Commission
 - = 10118/23 (to be issued)

3. Preparation of the second meeting of the EU-US informal expert group (MLA, Extradition)
 - Exchange of views on the proposed topics on the agenda
= 10120/23 (to be issued)
4. Recent developments on action by Eurojust regarding Russia's war of aggression against Ukraine
 - Information from Eurojust
5. Debriefing from work in the Ukraine Accountability Dialogue Group – Workstream 3, national investigations
 - Information from the Commission and Eurojust
6. Debrief from the EU-U.S. Ministerial Meeting on Justice and Home Affairs (Brussels, 20-21 June 2023)
 - Information from the Presidency and the Commission
7. Form for a request for mutual assistance under Article 635 of the EU-UK Trade and Cooperation Agreement (TCA) – State of play
 - Information from the Commission
8. Proposal for a Regulation on the transfer of proceedings in criminal matters - State of play of the examination of the text by the Council preparatory bodies
 - Information from the Presidency
= 10123/23 (to be issued)
9. Information by the Genocide Network Secretariat:
 - a) Report and Conclusions of the 33 Genocide Network meeting
 - = 10128/23 (to be issued)
 - = 12129/23 (to be issued)
 - b) Report of the 8th EU Day Against Impunity for genocide, crimes against humanity and war crimes
 - = 10130/23 (to be issued)
10. Possible extension of the competences of the European Public Prosecutor's Office (EPPO)
 - Information from the Presidency
11. Intentions of the incoming Presidency concerning work in the COPEN Working Party
 - Information by the ES delegation
12. AOB

Afternoon (starting around 15:00)

13. 10th round of mutual evaluations: presentation and adoption of a draft report
 - Report on Portugal
 - = 10135/23 (to be issued)
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NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal. Room attendants will provide copies on request at the earliest opportunity.