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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: Working Party on Trade Questions
- Notice of meeting and provisional agenda

Date: 7 July 2026

Time: 10:00

Venue: COUNCIL

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Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

Morning session: 10:00-13:00

Afternoon session: 14:30-18:00 (Attachés)

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Priorities of the Irish Presidency
3. OECD Steel Committee and Global Forum on Steel Excess Capacity (GFSEC)
4. Commission proposal to address the effects of global overcapacity on the EU steel market – results of stakeholder consultation on “melt and pour” provisions.
5. Commission proposal to address the effects of global overcapacity on the EU steel market – implementing act for “melt and pour” provisions.
6. Any other business
 - 6.1 Commission proposal to address the effects of global overcapacity on the EU steel market – outcomes on final apportionments arising from Article XXVIII negotiations *
 - 6.2 Commission proposal to address the effects of global overcapacity on the EU steel market – final allocations of tariff rate quota volumes to third countries *

* *Delegates from the Trade Policy Committee (Deputies) are invited to attend the discussion on this item.*

NB: Delegations are kindly asked to submit their requests for “Any other business” items to the General Secretariat in writing (polcom@consilium.europa.eu), by noon on Monday, 6 July 2026.

NB: Delegations are reminded to register their presence in the Delegates Portal.

NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal.