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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	WORKING PARTY ON COMPETITIVENESS AND GROWTH (Industry)
Date:	24 July 2026
Time:	10:00
Venue:	COUNCIL JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

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1. Adoption of the provisional agenda
2. Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL on a framework of measures for strengthening the Union's semiconductor ecosystem, repealing Regulation (EU) 2023/1781 (Chips Act 2.0)
(Docs: ST 10094/26, ST 10094/26 ADD 1)
 - *Continuation of Article by Article examination of the proposal*

3. Critical Raw Materials
 - *State of play report from the Presidency and the Commission on the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) 2024/1252*
 - *Update from the Commission on the Critical Raw Materials Centre proposal*
 4. Any other business
 - *Commission update on forthcoming negotiations on partnerships on raw materials value chains*
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