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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 (am)
Date:	14 September 2021
Time:	9.30
Venue:	COUNCIL VTC Platform

Format: 1 + 1

1. Adoption of the agenda

2. Implementation of the EU Drugs Strategy and Action Plan 2021-2025
ST 9819/21
 - a) Update by the Presidency
 - b) Presentation by the EMCDDA of the European Guide on Health (Strategic priorities 6 and 7 of the Strategy and particularly Actions 34, 43, 44 and 46 of the Action Plan)

3. UNODC/CND
 - a) CND Thematic Discussion, 19-21 October 2021
 - Information by the EEAS on the process
 - Exchange of information on the representatives from the EU and its Member States in the respective panels of the Thematic Discussion
 - Preparations for the draft EU statements
WK 10447/2021, WK 10449/2021, WK 10451/2021
 - b) INCB Guidelines on International Drug Control Requirements for the Cultivation, Manufacture and Utilization of Cannabis for Medical and Scientific Purposes
4. Preparations for the EU-US Dialogue on Drugs (VC, 14 September 2021)
CM 4062/2021
5. Preparations for the EU-Western Balkans Dialogue (6 October 2021)
WK 8466/2021
WK 10459/2021 (to be issued)
 - Information by the Presidency on the EU's aim and messages and exchange of views
6. Commission services non-paper on the launch of an EU-Colombia Dialogue on Drugs
 - Presentation by the Commission and first exchange of views
WK 10452/2021
7. Preparations for the National Drugs Coordinators Meeting (VC, 22 September 2021)
8. Preparations for the joint HDG-CSFD meeting (7 October 2021, morning)
WK 10453/2021

9. A.O.B
- a) Developments in Afghanistan in relation to drugs - exchange of information
ST 11556/21
 - b) Conference on the Future of Europe - information by the Commission
 - c) Pompidou Group - recent developments - information by the Portuguese Presidency of
the Pompidou Group
 - d) Preparation a Commission Recommendation on Alternatives to Coercive Sanctions
(Action 49, EU Drugs Action Plan 2021-2025) - update by the Commission
 - e) Europol-UNODC *Cocaine Insights Report*, published on 7 September 2021 -
information by Europol
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NB: Council documents are available on Delegates' Portal.