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**NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

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| Subject:  | Working Party on Fisheries Policy                                      |
| Date:     | 24 and 25 September 2026                                               |
| Time:     | 14:30, 10:00                                                           |
| Venue:    | COUNCIL<br>JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING<br>Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS |

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**Working Party on Fisheries Policy**

1. Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION fixing the fishing opportunities for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks applicable in the Baltic Sea for 2027 and amending Regulation (EU) 2026/249 as regards certain fishing opportunities in other waters
  - *Exchange of views*  
ST 12522/26 + ADD 1  
ST 13059/26
2. Informal Consultations on the UNGA Sustainable Fisheries Resolution
  - *Preparation*  
ST 13006/26

3. Port State Measures Agreement Strategy and Monitoring Working Group meeting (28 September – 2 October)
  - *Preparation*  
ST 13004/26
4. 49<sup>th</sup> GFCM annual meeting, 26-30 October 2026, Rome, Italy
  - *Examination of the Presidency compromises on the Commission non-paper and Draft Declaration of Competences*  
ST 13317/26 (doc. to follow)  
ST 13318/26 (doc. to follow)
5. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) 2021/1139 as regards simplification and the transposition of the WTO Agreement on Fisheries Subsidies
  - *Presentation by the Commission*  
ST 13386/26 (doc. to follow)
6. Recommendation for a COUNCIL DECISION authorising the opening of negotiations for a sustainable fisheries partnership agreement and its implementing protocol between the European Union and the Republic of Madagascar
  - *Agreement*  
ST 13315/26 (doc. to follow)
7. 33<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Extended Commission for the Conservation of Southern Bluefin Tuna (CCSBT), 5-8 October 2026, Brussels, Belgium
  - *Examination of the Presidency compromise*  
ST 13322/26 (doc. to follow)
8. 33<sup>rd</sup> session of the European Inland Fisheries and Aquaculture Advisory Commission (EIFAAC), 7-9 October 2026, Riga, Latvia
  - *Preparation*  
ST 13392/26 (doc. to follow)
9. Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION amending Council Regulation 2023/2720 opening and providing for the management of autonomous Union tariff quotas for certain fishery products for the 2024-2026 period
  - *Exchange of views*  
ST 12913/26
10. Any other business

NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal. Room attendants will provide copies on request at the earliest opportunity.