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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject: Code of Conduct Group (Business Taxation)

Date: 17 October 2017

Time: 10.00

Venue: COUNCIL

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- I. Code of Conduct Group will meet on Tuesday, 17 October 2017 at 10.00 a.m. Agenda reads as follows:
1. Links with third countries: Liechtenstein
 2. Standstill review process
 - a) Croatia: Act on Investment Promotion
 - b) Patent boxes:
 - i) France: reduced rate for long term capital gain and profits from the licensing of IP rights
 - ii) Spain: national patent box regime - Navarra - Basque Country

3. Rollback review process: Patent boxes
 - a) France
 - b) Italy
 4. Procedural issues - Draft guidelines setting working methods for monitoring agreed guidance
 5. External strategy of the EU
 - a) International developments
 - b) Screening process
 6. Any other business.
- II. Representatives from Liechtenstein have been invited to make a presentation under item I.1 of the agenda.

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

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