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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	Working Party on Pharmaceuticals and Medical Devices
Date:	20 and 21 October 2026
Time:	10:00, 09:30
Venue:	COUNCIL JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

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1. Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL on establishing a framework of measures for strengthening Union's biotechnology and biomanufacturing sectors particularly in the area of health and amending Regulations (EC) No 178/2002, (EC) No 1394/2007, (EU) No 536/2014, (EU) 2019/6, (EU) 2024/795 and (EU) 2024/1938 (European Biotech Act)
 - *Exchange of views on Chapter 9 Article 56 (General Food Law)*
 - *ST 16945/25*
 - *Exchange of views on the second Presidency compromise text on Chapter 9 Article 57 (Clinical Trials)*
 - *ST 14343/26 (to be issued)*
 - *Exchange of views on Chapter 9 Article 59 (Veterinary Medicinal Products)*
 - *ST 16945/25*

- *Exchange of views on Chapter 9 Article 61 (Substances of Human Origin)*
- *ST 16945/25*

2. Any Other Business
