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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA
COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
(Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs)
ECCL, Luxembourg
15 October 2021 (10.00)

Format 1 + 1 (+ 2 in listening room)

Adoption of the agenda

(poss.) Approval of "A" items

- a) Non-legislative list
- b) Legislative list (Public deliberation in accordance with Article 16(8) of the Treaty on European Union)

Non-legislative activities

European Semester

- a) Key Employment Challenges: Key messages from the EMCO based on the Annual Employment Performance Report and the Employment Performance Monitor
Endorsement ☐
- b) Key Social Challenges: Key messages from the SPC based on the Annual Review of the Social Protection Performance Monitor
Endorsement ☐

- c) Council Decision on Guidelines for the employment policies of the Member States [2] [C] (*)
(Legal basis proposed by the Commission: Art. 148(2) TFEU)
Adoption

The future of the European Semester with a strong role of the European Pillar of Social Rights [2]
Policy debate

Safety and health at the heart of the future of work [2]
Policy debate

Conclusions on Gender Mainstreaming in the EU Budget (CoA SR No 10/2021) [2]
Approval

Any other business

a) A long-term vision for rural areas [2]
Presentation by the Commission

b) Tripartite Social Summit (Brussels, 20 October 2021) [2]
Information from the Presidency and the Commission

[2] Public debate proposed by the Presidency (Article 8(2) of the Council's Rules of Procedure)

[C] Item based on a Commission proposal

(*) Item on which a vote may be requested

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