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### **COMMUNICATION**

#### **NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

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| Subject:  | Working Party on International Environment Issues (Int. Chemicals/Synergies) |
| Date:     | 4 November 2026                                                              |
| Time:     | 10:00                                                                        |
| Venue:    | COUNCIL<br>JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING<br>Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS       |

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#### **Format 1+2**

#### **Synergies**

1. Preparation for the First International Conference on the Global Framework on chemicals (Geneva, Switzerland, 16-20 November 2026)
  - a) Exchange of views  
= *Information from IOMC and OECD and discussion*
  - b) Outcomes of the thirteenth meeting of the Bureau of the GFC (29 October 2026)  
= *Information from the Presidency, PL and NL delegations*

- c) Draft position paper of the European Union and its Member States  
= *Information from the Presidency and the Commission and discussion*
  - d) Organisational matters  
= *Information from the Presidency and discussion*
  - e) Outreach  
= *Information from the Presidency and discussion*
2. Intergovernmental Science-Policy Panel on Chemicals, Waste and Pollution (ISP-CWP)
- Bureau meeting (hybrid, 17 November 2026)  
= *Information from the Presidency and Commission and discussion*

### **International Chemicals**

3. Minamata Convention
- Non-paper on Minamata Submission  
= *Information from the Commission and discussion*
4. Stockholm Convention
- a) Update
  - b) Nominations
  - = *Information from the Presidency and the Commission and discussion*
5. Rotterdam Convention
- a) Update
  - b) Nominations
  - = *Information from the Presidency and the Commission and discussion*
6. Any other business

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NB 1: Delegations are reminded to register their presence in the Delegates Portal.

NB 2: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal. Room attendants will provide copies on request at the earliest opportunity.