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**NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

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| Contact: | research@consilium.europa.eu |
| Tel./Fax: | +32 2 281 68 96 |
| Subject: | Research Working Party Meeting - **ATTACHES LEVEL** |
| Date: | 5 November 2026 |
| Time: | 10:00 |
| Venue: | COUNCIL<br>JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING<br>Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS |

**Format 1+2**

1. Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the signature and provisional application of the Agreement between the European Union, of the one part, and the Government of the Republic of India, of the other part, on the participation of the Republic of India in Union programmes

   Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Union, of the one part, and the Government of the Republic of India, of the other part, on the participation of the Republic of India in Union programmes

   – Presentation by the Commission (doc. 14931/26 + ADD 1 and 14932/26 + ADD 1)

2. Proposal for a Council Recommendation on common principles on regulatory sandboxes to support innovation and a future-proof regulatory framework

   – Examination of the second Presidency compromise text (doc. 14930/26)

3. Link between the European Innovation Act and State Aid compliance

   – Information from the Commission

4. Proposal for a Regulation establishing a framework of measures for strengthening the Union innovation ecosystem (European Innovation Act)

   – Examination of the Presidency compromise text (doc. 14452/26)

5. Any other business

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