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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE (Part 1)

Europa building, Brussels

2 December 2026 (08:30)

Justus Lipsius building, Brussels

4 December 2026 (17:30)

Format 2+2

Discussion items (II)

Competitiveness

Meeting of the Council (Competitiveness (Internal Market, Industry, Research and Space)) on 3 and 4 December 2026: Preparation

Regulation on accelerating industrial capacity and decarbonisation (Industrial Accelerator Act) — 1 C — 16058/26
Policy debate

Environment

Meeting of the Council (Environment) on 11 December 2026: Preparation

Emission Trading System (ETS) review: — 1 C — 16375/26 + ADD 1-2

a) Directive amending Directive 2003/87/EC and Decision (EU) 2015/1814 as regards driving competitiveness and cost-effective decarbonisation

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b) Regulation amending Regulation (EU) 2015/757 and Regulation (EU) 2023/1805 to simplify and streamline monitoring, reporting and verification and to align with revisions of the EU ETS
General approach

Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs

Meeting of the Council (Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs) on 7 and 8 December 2026: Preparation

1.	Regulation on European Social Security Pass (ESSPASS) *General approach*	1 C	16106/26 + ADD 1
2.	Decision on enhanced cooperation between Public Employment Services (PES) *General approach*		16039/26
3.	European Semester Financing of Social Protection systems in the context of demographic challenges, labour market changes and economic uncertainty *Exchange of views*		16386/26
	a) Autumn Package *Presentation by the Commission* *Exchange of views*		16390/26
	b) Implementation of the Council Recommendation on strengthening social dialogue: key messages from the Employment Committee *Endorsement*		16152/26
	c) Implementation of the Council Recommendation on individual learning accounts: key messages from the Employment Committee *Endorsement*		16150/26

Energy

European Grids Package 1 C

a) Regulation on guidelines for trans-European energy infrastructure
Presidency debriefing on the outcome of the trilogue

b) Directive amending Directives (EU) 2018/2001, (EU) 2019/944, (EU) 2024/1788 as regards acceleration of permit-granting procedures 15919/26
Analysis of the final compromise text with a view to agreement

Transport, Telecommunications and Energy

Meeting of the Council (Transport, Telecommunications and Energy) on 10 December 2026: Preparation

Strengthening energy security 1 C 16275/26
Policy debate

Transport

Directive amending Council Directive 96/53/EC on weights and dimensions for certain road vehicles 1 C 16219/26
Preparation for the trilogue

Roadworthiness Package 1 C

Amending Directives on periodic roadworthiness tests for motor vehicles and their trailers and on the technical roadside inspection of the roadworthiness of commercial vehicles
Presidency debriefing on the outcome of the trilogue

Directive on the registration documents for vehicles and vehicle registration data
Presidency debriefing on the outcome of the trilogue

Telecommunications

Regulation on the establishment of European Business Wallets 1 C 16098/26
Preparation for the trilogue

Internal Market and Industry

Amendments to the Critical Raw Materials Act — 16274/26
Preparation for the trilogue

Any other business

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Non-discussion items (I)

Institutional Affairs

Appointments

One alternate member (FI) of the Advisory Committee on Safety and Health at Work *Adoption*	16046/26 16045/26 SOC
One member (PT) of the Management Board of the European Institute for Gender Equality *Adoption*	16043/26 16042/26 SOC

Other

Attendance of third parties at the Working Party on Animals and Veterinary Questions (Chief Veterinary Officers) on 3 December 2026 *Approval*	16205/26 VETER
Attendance of a third party at the Youth Working Party on 4 December 2026 *Approval*	16237/26 JEUN

Judicial Affairs

Case C-978/26, preliminary ruling on the validity of Articles 14, 15 and 16 of Regulation (EU) 2022/1854 of 6 October 2022 on an emergency intervention to address high energy prices *Information note*	16432/26 JUR

EU positions for international negotiations

Coordination of the EU position for the 33rd Regional Steering Committee and for the 10th Ministerial meeting of the Transport Community (Brussels, 10 and 11 December 2026) *Approval*	16028/26 TRANS

Fisheries

Council Decision on the signing, and provisional application of the Sustainable Fisheries Partnership Agreement and its Implementing Protocol (2026-2030) with the Republic of Mauritius *Adoption*	C	14582/26 + ADD 1 14505/26 14682/26 14623/26 PECHE
Council Decision on the conclusion of the Sustainable Fisheries Partnership Agreement and its Implementing Protocol (2026-2030) with the Republic of Mauritius *Agreement in principle* *Request for the consent of the European Parliament*	C	14582/26 + ADD 1 14504/26 14682/26 14623/26 PECHE
Council Regulation on the allocation of the fishing opportunities provided for in the Protocol on the implementation of the Sustainable Fisheries Partnership Agreement with the Republic of Mauritius (2026-2030) *Adoption*	C	14582/26 + ADD 1 14506/26 PECHE
Draft written record of EU-UK consultations on brown crab - Specification of the Union position *Approval*		16426/26 PECHE
Draft written record of EU-UK consultations on king scallops - Specification of the Union position *Approval*		16426/26 PECHE
Regulation transposing North Pacific Fisheries Commission measures *Mandate for negotiations with the European Parliament*	I C	16322/26 PECHE

Agriculture

Regulation on the production and marketing of plant reproductive material *Adoption of the Council's position at first reading and of the statement of the Council's reasons*	I C	16258/26 + ADD 1 11693/26 + ADD 1 AGRI
Conclusions on the use of innovative and digital technologies to support plant health *Approval*		16227/26 AGRI

Transport

Opinion of the Council on the designation of one European Coordinator for the trans-European transport network (TEN-T) *Adoption*		16266/26 16290/26 TRANS

Environment

(poss.) Declaration of Interest to Strengthen Cooperation through the Water Convention *Authorisation to sign a non-binding instrument*	16539/26 ENV

I First reading

C Item based on a Commission proposal

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