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Subject:	Working Party on European Free Trade Association (EFTA)
Date:	21 November 2023
Time:	14:30
Venue:	COUNCIL JUSTUS LIPSIUS BUILDING Rue de la Loi 175, 1048 BRUSSELS

1. SWISS CONFEDERATION

1.1. 70th meeting of EU-Swiss Free Trade Agreement Joint Committee

The Commission will inform the EFTA Working Party on the state of play of preparations for the meeting to be held on 23 November 2023.

1.2. EU-Switzerland relations

The Commission will debrief the EFTA Working Party on the state of play of negotiations with Switzerland.

2. EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA

2.1. 57th EEA Council meeting

The Presidency will debrief the EFTA working party on the main results of the EEA Council meeting.

The EEAS will provide a debrief on the Political Dialogue held in the margins of the EEA Council.

2.2. Negotiations on financial contributions of the EEA EFTA States to social and economic cohesion in the European Economic Area

The Commission will debrief the EFTA Working Party on the state of play of negotiations.

**3. PRINCIPALITY OF ANDORRA AND REPUBLIC OF SAN MARINO
Negotiations on Association Agreement(s) with Andorra and San Marino**

The Commission will debrief the EFTA Working Party on the state of play of negotiations with Andorra and San Marino, including on financial services.

4. AOB

NB: 1. **Financial Services Attachés** are invited to attend the meeting on agenda item 3, at around 16h00.

2. Delegations are asked to submit their requests for "other business" items to the General Secretariat, efta@consilium.europa.eu, in writing by **Monday, 20 November 2023, 12.00 (noon)**.