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From:	Working Party on Latin America and the Caribbean
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
Subject:	EU-Cuba political Political Dialogue and Cooperation Agreement (PDCA): - Modalities for political dialogues - Approval

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1. On 8 May 2018, the EEAS submitted draft modalities for five political dialogues with Cuba as part of the implementation of the EU-Cuba Political Dialogue and Cooperation Agreement (PDCA). These were launched at the first EU-Cuba Joint Council on 15 May 2018.
2. The five draft modalities concern political dialogues on human rights, illicit trade in small arms and light weapons and other conventional weapons, disarmament and non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction, unilateral coercive measures, and sustainable development respectively.
3. The Working Party on Latin America and the Caribbean (COLAC), in the case of modalities concerning the political dialogue on human rights together with the Working Party on Human Rights (COHOM), discussed the modalities on 29 May 2018, and subsequently agreed on the draft modalities.

4. At its meeting on 21 June 2018, the PSC agreed on the draft modalities.
  5. In light of the above, COREPER is invited to agree the draft modalities for the five EU-Cuba political dialogues, as set out in documents 10604/18, 10606/18, 10608/18, 10610/18 and 10613/18, and to forward them to the Council for endorsement.
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